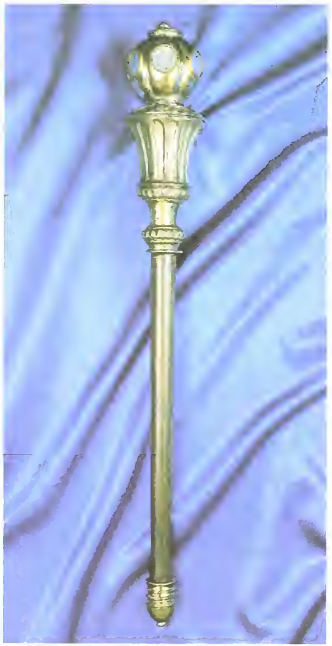
Commencement

The University of Memphis



University Mace

The University Mace, a symbol of leadership and authority, is a visual embodiment of tradition in academic circles. Presented during the institution's 75th anniversary in 1987, the mace is displayed only at formal events attended by faculty and top administrators dressed in full academic regalia. The evolution of the University's name is depicted on silver disks on the mace's bronze head.

University Banner

The University banner is often used at formal events, proudly displaying our University seal. The seal, which was introduced in 2003, incorporates symbols that are unique to The University of Memphis. The Mace is the center, surrounded by the traditional laurel wreath, and anchored by the book of knowledge bearing our founding date of 1912. The University's positioning line, "Dreamers, Thinkers. Doers.", appears in Latin at the bottom portion of the seal. Translated the line means: To dream. To think. To do.

Presidential Medallion

The Presidential Medallion signifies position, authority and trust and is worn by the President during official academic functions at the University. Commissioned by a group of distinguished alumni and friends and presented to the University in 1974, the Presidential Medallion combines institutional symbols with chain links honoring all presidents of the University.

SPRING CONVOCATION

OF THE

NINETY-FIFTH COMMENCEMENT

10:00 A.M.

and

2:00 P.M.

May 5, 2007

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THE TENNESSEE BOARD OF REGENTS

The University of Memphis in one of 46 institutions in the Tennessee Board of Regents system, the seventh largest system of higher education in the nation. The Tennessee Board of Regents is the governing board for this system which comprises six universties, 14 community colleges and 26 area technology centers. The TBR system enrolls more than 80 percent of all Tennessee students attending public institutions of higher education.

MEMBERS OF THE BOARD

THE HONORABLE PHIL BREDESEN, Governor of Tennessee, Chairman, *ex officio*

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THE HONORABLE SCOTT McMILLAN, *Faculty Regent*

THE HONORABLE JOHN S. BOOTS, JR., *Student Regent*

DR. CHARLES W. MANNING, *Chancellor*

HISTORICAL HERITAGE

For almost a century, the University of Memphis has been a catalyst for progress in the city of Memphis, the state of Tennessee and the surrounding Mid-South region. As a doctoral degree-granting metropolitan research university, we are committed to excellence at all levels: undergraduate, graduate and professional.

The University of Memphis' roots date back to 1912 when it began as West Tennessee State Normal School and its main purpose was to educate public school teachers. While our name has changed several times throughout the years, the University has continued to be guided by the principles of academic integrity, sound management and equal opportunity.

The main campus lies in the heart of a widespread metropolis and combines the convenience of a large city with the atmosphere of a residential neighborhood. Additionally, the University consists of several satellite campuses, including Collierville, Dyersburg, Millington and Jackson.

As the flagship of the Tennessee Board of Regents system, the University of Memphis awards more than 3,000 degrees annually. Divisions of study include the College of Arts and Sciences, Fogelman College of Business and Economics, the College of Communication and Fine Arts, the College of Education, Herff College of Engineering, Loewenberg School of Nursing, University College, Graduate School, Cecil C. Humphreys School of Law and the School of Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology.

The University offers 15 bachelor's degrees in more than 50 majors and 70 concentrations, master's degrees in over 45 subjects, doctoral degrees in 21 disciplines, a specialist's degree in education, the Juris Doctor and an ever-expanding online degree program. Reflecting on its commitment to the highest levels of excellence in teaching and national prominence in research, the University of Memphis has five Centers of Excellence and 25 Chairs of Excellence. Its full-time faculty number over 850.

Our wireless campus educates more than 20,000 students each year, and our faculty have won national awards ranging from Emmys and Grammys to the prestigious Peabody Award.

Recent additions to the campus landscape include the FedEx Institute of Technology, the Kemmons Wilson School of Hospitality and Resort Management, the John Wilder Student Services Tower and the Michael D. Rose Theatre Lecture Hall. In 2009, we will relocate the Cecil C. Humphreys School of Law to the historic U.S. Customs House and Post Office in downtown Memphis, a significant achievement for both the city and the University.

While instruction, service and research are our primary emphases, the University also commits its resources to the social, cultural and economic welfare of the region through partnerships with many public and private organizations.

As we move toward our centennial anniversary in 2012, the University of Memphis is poised to enhance its national and international reputation as one of America's great metropolitan research universities.

STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

The Student Government Association is the voice of students at the University of Memphis. The SGA is comprised of three branches of government: executive, judicial (Student Court) and legislative (Senate). Elections are held in April. In 2005, the SGA held its first online election.

The SGA funds travel for individual students and organizations, including trips to conferences relating to the student's field of academic interest and leadership conferences. It sponsors Frosh Camp to help incoming first-time freshmen establish friendships, learn about what is offered on campus, begin the adjustment to college life, and have a successful first year. The SGA also sponsors the Mr. and Ms. U of M contest during football Homecoming each fall.

Student senators present resolutions as bills to the Student Senate for benefit of the general student body.

2006-2007 Officers

Maegan D. Ratliff, *President*
Kimberly B. Jones, *Vice President*
David O. Jones, *Speaker of the Senate*
Jaqeelah Williams, *Chief Justice*

Rudi E. Scheidt School of Music

Rudi E. Scheidt

As an energetic young man living in San Francisco, Rudi Scheidt was forced to endure what was, for him, torture. "Music was force-fed into me when I was a kid, kicking all the way," he said as an adult. "My parents dragged me to string quartet concerts at museums when I was 12 or 13 years old; I would much rather have been doing something else." Left with no choice, the boy listened. Slowly the musical events became bearable, then enjoyable. The young man eventually met a woman who learned to share his appreciation for music. She lured him to Memphis, where he began working in the cotton industry and supporting the arts.

Decades later their generous donation would help transform a growing university department into a world-class school: The Rudi E. Scheidt School of Music. Given with his wife, Honey Hohenberg Scheidt, the gift was part of a long and distinguished partnership between the Scheidts and the arts.

The Scheidt School offers Tennessee's only doctoral program in music, and educates more than 500 undergraduates and graduates from around the world each semester. The multi-million dollar gift made in 2000 has helped revive the University's opera program. The funds also have been used to recruit and retain outstanding faculty and students.

The Scheidts put their time and hearts, as well as their money, into the University's music program. They have attended master classes, dress rehearsals, performances and auditions. They befriend and mentor students, and encourage others to attend U of M events.

Rudi Scheidt's passion for the arts doesn't stop with the University. He is former president of Opera Memphis and has served on the boards of the Memphis Brooks Museum of Art, the Memphis Arts Council, New York's Metropolitan Opera, and the Tennessee Film, Entertainment and Music Commission. The Scheidts have served on the boards of the Memphis Symphony Orchestra, the Memphis College of Art and the Memphis Arts Festival. In 1985, the couple was instrumental in bringing the Ramesses the Great exhibition to Memphis, kicking off the city's association with grand scale cultural events. In 2001, the state of Tennessee awarded the Scheidts the highest honor given to supporters of the arts – the Governor's Award for Arts Leadership.

Scheidt is a member of the University's Board of Visitors and the Economic Club of Memphis.

After retiring as president of Hohenberg Brothers Company, a worldwide cotton merchant, Scheidt has been a private investor.

ACADEMIC DRESS

The following information is to help our visitors identify the costumes seen in the commencement procession:

Academic dress evolved from religious habit worn by faculty in the ancient universities who were members of religious orders. For centuries these gowns distinguished students from their fellow citizens; sometimes this distinction in dress symbolized unfortunate controversies between "town and gown." The European habit of using academic robes came to this country in the eighteenth century with the founding of what is now Columbia University. In 1895, American universities and colleges standardized their styles of academic costumes, and this system, with occasional modifications, is still in force. Today, the various colors, trimmings, and patterns of gown, hood, and cap are all traditional and symbolize both the degree and field of learning.

GOWNS: American academic gowns are usually of black material, and their pattern varies with the degree held. The bachelor gowns are relatively simple in design with a closed front and long, pointed, open sleeves. Master's gowns have an open front with long, closed sleeves, the arms extending through a slit at the elbow, giving the appearance of short sleeves. Doctoral gowns are the most elaborate with velvet panels down the open front and three velvet bars on the bell-shaped sleeves.

HOODS: The hoods, differing in length for the three degrees (bachelor's, master's, and doctor's), are lined with the colors of the institution that granted the degree. Hoods are also trimmed with the color that heralds the major field of learning.

CAPS: A square mortarboard is the approved headgear. The tassel, fastened to the middle point of the top of the cap, is black or the color appropriate to the subject: it may be gold if the holder has a doctor's degree. The University of Memphis has adopted the practice of having candidates for the bachelor degree wear the tassels on the right front side before degrees are conferred and shift them to the left at the moment when the degrees are awarded to them.

In the last few years, many universities have decided to return to a distinctive gown design. For instance, Columbia's is now slate gray, Rochester's a dandelion yellow, Northwestern's is purple. The doctoral gown, with facing of black velvet, now has sleeve bands in the color of the wearer's discipline. Some have replaced the mortarboard with a soft velvet tam with a gold tassel.

Following is a list of the hood and tassel colors that represent several categories of learning:

Arts, Letters, Humanities	White
Audiology	Forest Green
Speech Pathology	Royal Blue
City & Regional Planning	Scarlet Red
Commerce, Accountancy, Business	Sapphire Blue
Communication Arts	Silver Gray
Economics	Copper
Education	Light Blue
Engineering	Orange
Fine Arts	Brown
Health Administration	Green
Journalism	Crimson
Law	Purple
Music	Pink
Nursing	Apricot
Philosophy	White
Physical Education	Light Blue
Public Administration	Peacock Blue
Science	Golden Yellow
Social Work	Citron

All hoods are *edged* with the above colors. These same colors may be used for the facing and sleeve bars of doctoral gowns and tassels on bachelors' and masters' caps.

The *lining* of the hood indicates the university granting the degree—for The University of Memphis, blue and gray. Among other institutional colors represented at this commencement are those for Arkansas, red and white; Chicago, maroon; Columbia, light blue and white chevron; Duke, royal blue with white chevron; Emory, navy blue with gold chevron; Harvard, crimson; Illinois, navy blue with two orange chevrons; University of Iowa, old gold; Kansas, navy blue with cardinal chevron; Northwestern, purple with gold chevrons; Ohio State, scarlet with silver gray chevron; Rice, silver above blue; Texas, white above orange; Vanderbilt, black and gold, Wisconsin, bright red; Yale, royal blue.

UNDERGRADUATE

CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES

GRADUATION WITH DISTINCTION

Based on a grading system of "A" as 4.0, three designations of graduation honors are recognized.*

Summa Cum Laude	3.80 - 4.00	Gold Cord
Magna Cum Laude	3.50 - 3.79	Crimson Cord
Cum Laude	3.25 - 3.49	White Cord

GRADUATION WITH HONORS

Students may earn Honors distinction by meeting requirements of the campus-wide University Honors Program and/or fulfilling requirements for departmental honors programs. These requirements involve a combination of special honors coursework, independent study, and usually an honors thesis or project. Students who successfully complete University Honors Program requirements are awarded their degrees with honors (e.g., University Honors or University Honors with Thesis). Students completing departmental honors programs are awarded their degree with honors in their area of concentration (e.g., With Honors in English).

Note:** ***The commencement program is a roster of candidates, not an official list of graduates. Appropriate degrees and honors will be awarded to candidates who successfully complete all requirements by established deadlines. The posting of the earned degree on the official university transcript is the institution's affirmation of possession of the degree.

Because of time limitations imposed in preparing this program for commencement, listing for graduation with distinction was based on a minimum of forty-two (42) semester hours at the University of Memphis and the grade point average as of the term prior to the final semester.

THE UNIVERSITY OF MEMPHIS

ALUMNI™

ASSOCIATION

The University of Memphis Alumni Association is more than 70 years old and represents the interests of more than 128,000 alumni of the University. The mission of the Alumni Association is to engage alumni, former students and friends in three challenges: advocating the ideals of the University, advancing its welfare and fostering life-long relationships with the institution. It seeks to achieve this mission through communication, activities and events that involve and inform alumni.

Advocating the Ideals of your University: The motto of the University of Memphis is Dreamers, Thinkers, Doers. The Alumni Association's Board of Directors and members work with the University to uphold this motto for the University and its graduates.

Advancing the Welfare of your University: The activities and programs of the Alumni Association are governed by a volunteer alumni Board of Directors. The diverse interests of alumni are represented through the Alumni Council.

Fostering Life-Long Relationships with your University: You can stay connected to your University through the Alumni Association. Visit our web page, where you can sign up to receive communications like e-news, *The University of Memphis* magazine and keep in touch with fellow alumni through the alumni directory. We also encourage you to use the web page to let us know what's happening with you by submitting information to class notes.

The Alumni Association supports academics at the University of Memphis with more than 30 student scholarships and eleven faculty and staff awards for Excellence in Teaching, Research and Advising. Outstanding alumni are recognized each year at the Distinguished Alumni Awards – a gala event held in the spring. The Alumni Association also assists with student recruitment and retention.

With more than 50 clubs, chapters and programs based on academics, geography or a specific interest, there is sure to be a place for you in the Alumni Association. Get involved by mentoring a current student, sponsoring a scholarship or nominating a favorite professor for an award. Socialize with other tigers at the Distinguished Alumni Awards or a Tiger watch party. Network at one of the hundreds of events and meeting that we sponsor throughout the year. But most importantly – Stay True Blue with an Alumni Association membership.

For more information or to join the University of Memphis Alumni Association, call (901) 678-2586.

Or visit us on the web

www.memphis.edu/alumni

MORNING CEREMONY

10:00 A.M.

DOCTORAL HOODING CEREMONY

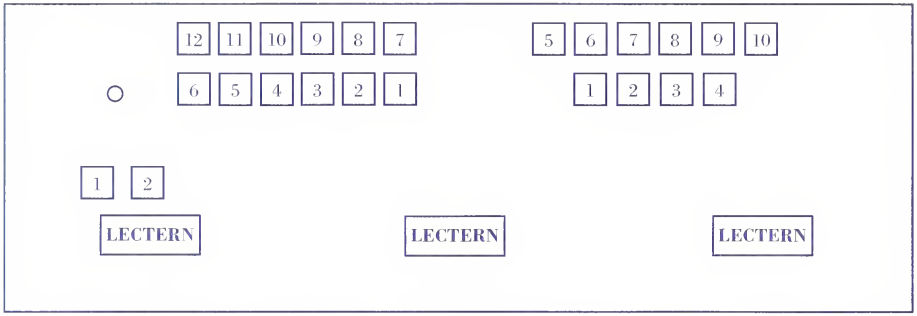
SCHOOL OF AUDIOLOGY AND SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE

COLLEGE OF COMMUNICATION AND FINE ARTS

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

MORNING CEREMONY
PRESIDENT'S PLATFORM PARTY



LEFT SIDE

1. **Dr. Ralph J. Faudree,** Provost
2. **Dr. Douglas E. Hurley,** Vice President for Information Technology and CIO
3. **Ms. Julie A. Johnson,** Vice President for Advancement
4. **Ms. Maegan D. Ratliff,** President, Student Government Association
5. **Mr. Rob D. Evans,** President, Board of Directors, National Alumni Association
6. **Dr. Stanley E. Stevens, Jr.,** President, Faculty Senate
7. **Mr. Josef W. McClellan,** Soloist
8. **Dr. Dan L. Lattimore,** Vice Provost for Extended Programs, and Dean, University College
9. **Dr. Richard R. Ranta,** Dean, College of Communication and Fine Arts
10. **Dr. Ric A. Hovda,** Dean, College of Education
11. **Dr. Maurice I. Mendel,** Dean, School of Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology
12. **Dr. Sylverna V. Ford,** Dean, University Libraries

RIGHT SIDE

1. **Dr. Shirley C. Raines,** President
2. **Mr. Rudi E. Scheidt,** Speaker and Honorary Degree Recipient
3. **The Honorable Gregory M. Duckett,** Member, Tennessee Board of Regents
4. **Dr. Chrisann Schiro-Geist,** Senior Vice Provost for Academic Affairs
5. **Dr. Karen D. Weddle-West,** Vice Provost for Graduate Programs
6. **Dr. James R. Smoot,** Dean, Cecil C. Humphreys School of Law
7. **Dr. Henry A. Kurtz,** Dean, College of Arts and Sciences
8. **Dr. John J. Pepin,** Dean, Fogelman College of Business and Economics
9. **Dr. Richard C. Warder, Jr.,** Dean, Herff College of Engineering
10. **Dr. Marjorie F. Luttrell,** Dean, Loewenberg School of Nursing

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Dr. Shu Li, Assistant Professor, College of Communication and Fine Arts, Pronouncer

Dr. Robert W. McDowell, Associate Professor, College of Communication and Fine Arts, Pronouncer

MORNING CEREMONY PROGRAM

PRELUDE and FANFARE
Rocky Point Holiday ..... *Ron Nelson*
Chorale and Alleluia ..... *Howard Hanson*
Second Suite in F ..... *Gustav Holst*
Festive Fanfare ..... *Warren Barker*
The University of Memphis Wind Ensemble
Dr. Nicholas V. Holland III, Conductor

PRESIDING ..... Dr. Ralph J. Faudree
Provost

PROCESSIONAL*
Pomp and Circumstance ..... *Sir Edward Elgar*

PRESENTATION OF COLORS* ..... The Color Guard
United States Army Reserve Officers Training Corps Honor Guard

THE NATIONAL ANTHEM* ..... *Francis Scott Key*
Mr. Josef W. McClellan, Soloist

SALUTATIONS TO THE CLASS
President, Student Government Association ..... Ms. Maegan D. Ratliff
President, National Alumni Association ..... Mr. Rob D. Evans

GREETINGS FROM THE TENNESSEE BOARD OF REGENTS ..... The Honorable Gregory M. Duckett

THE PRESIDENT'S WELCOME ..... Dr. Shirley C. Raines
President of the University

ADDRESS ..... Mr. Rudi E. Scheidt
Corporate Leader and Philanthropist

HONORARY DEGREE CEREMONY ..... Dr. Ralph J. Faudree

PRESENTATION OF THE HONORARY DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF LETTERS ..... Dr. Shirley C. Raines

RESPONSE ..... Mr. Rudi E. Scheidt

PRESENTATION OF THE CANDIDATES ..... The Academic Deans

CONFERRAL OF DEGREES IN COURSE ..... Dr. Shirley C. Raines

PRONOUNCERS ..... Dr. Robert W. McDowell
Dr. Shu Li

The Doctoral Degrees
The Master Degrees
The Baccalaureate Degrees

THE ALMA MATER* ..... *J. W. Brister*
Mr. McClellan

RECESSIONAL*
March No. 4 ..... *Sir Edward Elgar*

***Please stand**
Guests are requested to remain in guest seating during the ceremony; and, after the Alma Mater, to remain in place until the Platform Party has departed.

THE GRADUATE SCHOOL

Vice Provost for Graduate Programs, Karen D. Weddle-West, Ph.D.

The Graduate School of The University of Memphis is the center of advanced study and research within the University. The basic objectives of The Graduate School are: (a) to preserve and disseminate knowledge now available in the humanities, the sciences, and the various professional areas represented by the departmental graduate faculties; (b) to extend knowledge through basic research; and (c) to prepare men and women to assume a more responsible and useful role in society.

DOCTOR OF AUDIOLOGY

Amy Lynn Birath – School of Audiology & Speech-Language Pathology
A.S., 1996, Gordon College
B.A., 1998, Berry College
M.Ed., 2001, Georgia State University

Darlishia LéShawn Crenshaw – School of Audiology & Speech-Language Pathology
B.A., 2003, Ball State University

Shani Goldgrub – School of Audiology & Speech-Language Pathology
B.A., 1998, Universidad de las Americas

Jani Annette Johnson – School of Audiology & Speech-Language Pathology
B.S., 2003, Auburn University

Jennifer Erin Melton – School of Audiology & Speech-Language Pathology
B.A., 2003, The University of Southern Mississippi

Sharon Roxann Owen – School of Audiology & Speech-Language Pathology
B.S., 2003, The University of South Carolina at Spartanburg

Rachel Elizabeth Phillips – School of Audiology & Speech-Language Pathology
B.B.A., 2003, The University of Memphis

DOCTOR OF MUSICAL ARTS

Viara Dimitrova Sergueeva Albonetti – Rudi E. Scheidt School of Music
B.M., 1988, Academy of Music and Dance – Bulgaria
M.M., 1998, The University of Memphis
Dissertation: *"The Role of Bulgarian Folk Music in the Violin Works of Pancho Vladigerov"*
Major Professor: Dr. Kenneth R. Kreitner

Mark Logan Snyder – Rudi E. Scheidt School of Music
B.A., 1997, Mary Washington College
M.M., 2003, Ohio University
Dissertation: *"Symphony I"*
Major Professor: Dr. Kamran Ince

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Joshua Brett Avondoglio – Department of Psychology
B.A., 1997, The University of Delaware
M.S., 2000, Springfield College
Dissertation: *"Development of a Self-Efficacy Scale for Athletic Injury Rehabilitation"*
Major Professor: Dr. Andrew W. Meyers

Ryan Kelly Clark – Department of Communication
B.A., 1995, The University of Wyoming
M.A., 2001, Texas Tech University
Dissertation: *"Reading for Intent: Why Authors Matter in Criticism"*
Major Professor: Dr. John A. Campbell

Owen Brett Cooper – Department of Communication
B.A., 1987, The University of Arkansas
M.A., 1992, Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary
Dissertation: *"Exploring the Rhetorical Impact of WDIA"*
Major Professor: Dr. John A. Campbell

Lonnie Davis Crosby – Department of Chemistry
B.S., 2001, Arkansas State University
M.S., 2004, The University of Memphis
Dissertation: *"The Effect of Environment on the Structure and Properties of Point Defects in Silicon Dioxide Systems"*
Major Professor: Dr. Henry A. Kurtz

Ryan M. Csontos – Department of Earth Sciences
B.S., 2000, Western Carolina University
M.S., 2002, The University of Memphis
Title: *"Three Dimensional Modeling of the Reelfoot Rift and New Madrid Seismic Zone"*
Major Professor: Dr. Roy B. Van Arsdale

Adrienne Kanice Franklin – Department of English
B.A., 1998, California State University, Fullerton
M.A., 2000, California State University, Fullerton
Dissertation: *"Sensitive Topics and Document Design: A Critical Discourse Analysis of the Rape, Abuse and Incest National Network Web Site"*
Major Professor: Dr. Reginald Martin

Jennifer Lynn Humberd – Department of Biology
B.S., 1995, The University of Arizona
M.S., 2000, The University of Georgia
Dissertation: *"Role of Minor Poultry in the Ecology and Evolution of Influenza A Viruses"*
Major Professor: Dr. Lewis B. Coons

Jason Bradley Jennings – Department of Biology
B.S., 1992, Auburn University
M.S., 1998, Auburn University
Dissertation: *"An Ecological Assessment of Vertebrate Predators: I. Predation on Artificial Nests of Northern Bobwhites by Mammalian Mesopredators: Does the Problem-individual Paradigm Fit?; II. An Assessment of Predation on Artificial Nests of Northern Bobwhites by a Mesopredator Assemblage: III. Spatial Associations of Adult Male Raccoons in Western Tennessee"*
Major Professor: Dr. Michael L. Kennedy

Kris Fauna Camille Johnson – Department of Philosophy
B.S., 2001, Spelman College
M.A., 2004, The University of Memphis
Dissertation: *"Positionality and Transcendence in Emmanuel Levinas and Jean-Paul Sartre"*
Major Professor: Dr. Robert L. Bernasconi

Jason K. Luellen – Department of Psychology
B.S., 1994, The University of Tennessee at Chattanooga
M.A., 1998, Middle Tennessee State University
Dissertation: *"A Comparison of Propensity Score Estimation and Adjustment Methods on Simulated Data"*
Major Professor: Dr. Xiangen Hu

Qingwen Miao – Department of Earth Sciences
B.E., 1982, Chengdu University of Science & Technology
Dissertation: *"The Local Magnitude Scale and Seismicity of the Central U.S."*
Major Professor: Dr. Charles A. Langston

Jason Trent Phillips – Department of Communication
B.S., 1995, The University of Southern Indiana
M.A., 2000, Western Kentucky University
Dissertation: *"Bad Medicine: Extreme Contextualization in Popular Songs and Videos from 1987-2005"*
Major Professor: Dr. John A. Campbell

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY *(Continued)*

KyáTonia M. Reaves – Department of English
B.A., 1996, Austin Peay State University
M.F.A., 2001, The University of Memphis
M.A., 2001, The University of Memphis
Dissertation: *"Knives at a Gunfight: Slim's Stab at the American Canon"*
Major Professor: Dr. Reginald Martin

David Alan Sanders – Department of English
B.A., 1998, Vanderbilt University
M.A., 2000, The University of Memphis
Dissertation: *"The Portrayal of Foreign Doctors in the American Press: A Critical Discourse Analytical Approach"*
Major Professor: Dr. Charles E. Hall

Valentina Louise Taran-Michael – School of Audiology & Speech-Language Pathology
A.A.S., 1998, State Technical Institute at Memphis
B.A., 2000, Christian Brothers University
M.A., 2003, The University of Memphis
Dissertation: *"Lexical Factors Affecting Derived Word Spelling Performance in Fifth Grade Children"*
Co-Major Professors: Dr. D. Kimbrough Oller & Dr. Linda D. Jarmulowicz

Wei Wang – Department of Biology
B.S., 1995, Fudan University
Ph.D., 2000, Institute of Botany, The Chinese Academy of Sciences
M.S., 2006, The University of Memphis
Dissertation: *"Effect of Disturbances on Regeneration of Bamboo in the Qinling Mountains, China"*
Major Professor: Dr. Scott B. Franklin

Elton H. Weaver III – Department of History
B.A., 1997, LeMoyne-Owen College
M.A.L.S., 2001, The University of Memphis
Dissertation: *"Mark the Perfect Man: The Rise of Bishop C. H. Mason and the Church of God in Christ"*
Major Professor: Dr. Beverly G. Bond

Paul W. White – Department of History
B.A., 1975, Vanderbilt University
M.A., 1996, The University of Memphis
Dissertation: *"Kennedy General Hospital: Its Impact on Memphis in War and Peace"*
Major Professor: Dr. Charles W. Crawford

THE SCHOOL OF AUDIOLOGY AND SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY

Dean Maurice I. Mendel, Ph.D.

The School of Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology provides students with the fundamentals of communication processes and disorders that provoke critical thinking and problem solving. At the **master's level,** the program places emphasis upon theoretical and applied aspects of communication disorders that prepare graduates for service provision careers within the field and for further graduate study. At the **doctoral level,** the program emphasizes the theoretical and applied aspects of communication disorders that prepare graduates for academic research and teaching positions within the field and for post-doctoral graduate study. The program is accredited by the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association. We are proud of the following graduates:

MASTER OF ARTS

Tyler L. Atwood
B.A., 2005, Indiana University

Laura M. Augustine
B.A., 2005, The University of Pittsburgh

Allyson K. Comeaux
B.A., 2005, Louisiana State University

Laney O'dell Dunn
B.S., 2005, Middle Tennessee State University

Lydia Leann Maxwell
B.S., 2005, Purdue University

Morgan A. Maxwell
B.A., 2005, Harding University

Holly Kathleen Collett May
B.S., 2005, The Pennsylvania State University

Whitney M. Pettit
B.A., 2005, The University of Mississippi

Laura Leigh Thornton
B.A., 2005, Harding University

Haley Lynn Vincent
B.S., 2005, Murray State University

THE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE

Vice Provost for Extended Programs and Dean Dan L. Lattimore, Ph.D.

As The University of Memphis' college of lifelong learning, University College works with students on the development and completion of individualized and interdisciplinary degree programs. Through its Division of Baccalaureate Programs, it offers a wide variety of interdisciplinary concentrations and individualized degree opportunities leading to the Bachelor of Professional Studies and the Bachelor of Liberal Studies. Through its Division of Paralegal Studies, it offers a baccalaureate concentration in Paralegal Services. Through its Regents Online Degree Program, it offers online majors in Organizational Leadership, Information Technology, and Interdisciplinary Studies. Through its Division of Graduate Studies, it offers the interdisciplinary Master of Arts in Liberal Studies and the Master of Science Degree in Consumer Science and Education.

MASTER OF ARTS IN LIBERAL STUDIES

These candidates have completed a required core of Liberal Studies courses, an interdisciplinary Coordinated Study of Liberal Studies courses from The College of Arts and Sciences and The College of Communication and Fine Arts, and a Special Project in Liberal Studies.

Louise Antoinette Casini
B.A., 1994, Rhodes College

Marseah Nicole Farmer
B.P.S., 2004, The University of Memphis

Ava D. Harris
A.A.S., 1979, Shelby State Community College
B.S., 2000, Crichton College

Cecelia Jacob
B.A., 2004, The University of Memphis

Klaudia Ingrid Kroboth
B.L.S., 2001, The University of Memphis

LaShundra Monique Lewis
B.A., 2002, The University of Memphis

Alicia Dianne Perkins
B.S., 2001, The University of Tennessee at Chattanooga

Warrenda Joann Peterson
B.A., 2001, The University of Memphis

Marion Chiles Powless
B.A., 1983, Memphis State University

Lakesha Ann Simmons
B.L.S., 2003, The University of Memphis

Richard A. Thompson
B.S., 2005, Bethel College

Valerie Wagner Troutt
B.S., 1995, The University of Tennessee

Lue Ida Walls-Upchurch
A.S., 1992, Shelby State Community College
B.P.S., 1997, The University of Memphis
M.R.A., 1997, Jacksonville Theological Seminary
D.Th., 1998, Jacksonville Theological Seminary

MASTER OF SCIENCE

The candidates for this degree have majored in Consumer Science and Education.

Marian LaVerne Richardson
B.A., 2004, The University of Memphis

BACHELOR OF PROFESSIONAL STUDIES

Susan Leigh-Ann Logan, *summa cum laude*
Teresa Lynn Thomson, *summa cum laude*
Roslyn Wells Weiss, *summa cum laude*

Patricia Ann Gaines, *magna cum laude*
Rebecca Judith Hopp, *magna cum laude*
Lauren Nicole Mannerino, *magna cum laude*
Carrie Jean McAdon, *magna cum laude*
Lauren N. McCuistion, *magna cum laude*
Kari Lynn McLean, *magna cum laude*
Staci Tennille Patterson, *magna cum laude*
Nikolai Michael Readenour, *magna cum laude*

Esther Akosua Agyemang, *cum laude*
Kristina Marie Bennett, *cum laude*
Whitney Leigh Downen, *cum laude*
Katie Shea Jones, *cum laude*
Roger Dale Laird, *cum laude*
Linda Michelle Montalvo, *cum laude*
David Keith Parker, *cum laude*
Howard Pierce, *cum laude*
Laytoria Epperson Reeves, *cum laude*
Sean Timothy Riley, *cum laude*
Sherri Green Stephens, *cum laude*
Bethany Joyce Turner, *cum laude*
Heather L. Turner, *cum laude*
Christina Nicole Wiley, *cum laude*
Jeffrey Daniel Wright, *cum laude*

Ann Marie Allen
Tom Arreguin
Audrey Jean Barnard
Joseph Aldo Barzizza
Eric Clark Bennett
Cordell Franklin Brown
Pamela Denise Bruckman
Jennifer Sharee Burdette
Sonya Renee Butler
Jacinta Aisha Cartman
Francis Ward Cashion
Rachel Ann Clark
Samuel Culbreath, III
Carmen Georgia Davis
Nomsharee Shavon Denman
Contrice Denise Dodson
Ivy Antoinette Flowers
Paul Donis Forrest, Jr.
Heather Holt Frazier
Regina Frieson
Carolyn Faye Arnold Glover
Kimberly Anne Hamric
Macilyn M. Harper
Elsie Pinkie Harris
Lashica Lavette Hicks
Adrianne Katrece Hughes
Cheryl Ann Humphrey
Lenetha Hunt
Hamza Huqq
Robert Roy Jackson
Eddie G. Jefferson
LaTreasa Nicole Johnson
Angela Cheryse Jones
Candice Candy Jones
Gregory Jones
Chelsey Elizabeth Kantner
Mina Nicole Knox
Desiree Lorraine Lambert
Ashley Elizabeth Lambert
Tamara Michelle Lee
Autumn Olivia Leopold
Rita Dashaun Lewis
Debra Ann Lucas
Februlina Gail Manz
Anna Kathryn McBride
Virginia Powers McBurney
Deborah Lee Miller
Tonya Denise Morrow
Lauren Whitham Mullady
Linda Faye Murphy
Jessica Leigh Muse
Michael Ryan Musick
Mia LaDonna Myles
Sonethaniah Ponyanouvong
Caleb Omara Parker
Alisha Diane Parramore
Bernadette Marie Parsons
Sara Pattee
Brenda Kay Perkins
Frankie Mae Perry
Jennifer Leigh Phillips
Brooke Averill Phillips
Kimberly Michelle Porter
LaTonya Star Porter
John Wesley Purdy, Jr.
Colette Lee Ramirez
Rochell Denise Randolph-Staten
Rosalind Motley Reed
Kennitha Reshell Rice
James Michael Riggins
VanEsta Risby
Faith Q. Robinson
Stacey Jane Roe
Mellody Cornike Selph
Shantel Renee Sims
Carmen Melinda Smith
Stephen Arnold Spencer
Bob Elliott Taylor
Taylor Chapman Todd
Johnnie B. Wallace
Steven Gilbert Whitman
Parnell Paul Patrick Wiggins
Elinor Grace Williams
Frances T. Wilson
Jason Cameron Winton
Mitchell Wayne Wood
Sharon Davina Woodfork
Tonya Renee Woodson
Wesley Brian Youngblood

BACHELOR OF LIBERAL STUDIES

Nathan Isaac Coker, *magna cum laude*
Melanie Beth Sain, *magna cum laude*

Justin Glenn Beal, *cum laude*
Lori J. Berretta, *cum laude*
Richard Gale Nabors, *cum laude*
Genene Hopkins, *cum laude*
Luther Trammell Scruggs, *cum laude*

BACHELOR OF LIBERAL STUDIES *(Continued)*

Boyd Arthur, IV
Jason Thomas Baker
Rosalyn Baker
Bernie L. Bell
Maurice Jermaine Boyce
Mary Dabney Brown
William Jonathan Buford
Daniel Boyd Cartwright
Edward Thomas Cheers
Oliver C. Collins, III
Ashley Nichole Courson
Shawna Marlane Cruel
Christina Marie Drennen
Rosalind Kay Durant
Alice Brown Faulkner
Chris Michael Fears, Sr.
Jonathan Andrew Frazer
Rachel Joanna Friedlander
Thomas Larry Frier, Jr.
Marion Moore Gandy, III
Angela Maria Gardner
Gena D. Gattis
Devin Greaney
Shelonda Renee Harp
Joshua Howard Hassler
Denise Christal Houston
VanWyck Houston
Nikole Sarita Jackson
Resha LaDrena Jackson
Anna Johnson Kline
Katherine Xianghong Kong
Joshua Edward Douglas Langley
Cassaundra Gail Lee
Katrina Evette Lockett
Mary Elizabeth McCarver
Carolyn B. McCoy
Leslie LaShun McGraw
Tina Renee McKinney
Janis Lynn McNeal
Kristen M. Mitchell
Tomossa L. Moore
Courtney Courtez Neal
Geneil A. Newbern
Amy B. Nora
Elizabeth Anne Olewinski
Bruce Behrooz Oliasani
Elizabeth Carroll Parker
Raymond Scott Perry
Will Gilbert Petersen, II
Kiana Michelle Porter
Michael Henry Posey
Mario L. Pratcher
Lindsey Lee Pridgen
Heather Nicole Randolph
Summer Michelle Redden
Karima Tiombe Robinson
Kenny Tashaun Robinson
Shamara L. Rogers
Josalyn Cook Rolfe
Kara D. Ross
Ashley Lynn Rothstein
Nefertiti L. Rowlette
Terry Anthony Shinall
Jennifer John Stockton
JeCarta B. Suggs
Stacey Renee Tate
Christel Ann Tates
Sidney James Thomas, III
Samuel Curtis Tibbs
Jennifer Elyse Tucker
Brady Michael Turner
Tonya Doniell Walker
Mary Elizabeth Wallace
Lisa Andersen West
Melake T. Whyte, II
Cherrita Lashawn Williams
Christopher Stephen Wooten
Donna Ellen Young

THE COLLEGE OF COMMUNICATION AND FINE ARTS

Dean Richard R. Ranta, Ph.D.

The College of Communication and Fine Arts is ultimately centered on visual and audible symbols whose rational and emotional values it is the mission of the College to create and explore. In the belief that perception is largely shaped by experience, the College of Communication and Fine Arts offers a range of symbolically rendered experiences, both individual and collective, in the hope of broadening and sensitizing the perceptions of its students.

Through its various professional courses of study, it prepares students to work toward careers in the fine or applied arts, communication, or the performing arts, whether as practitioners, teachers, artists, or consultants. The College offers three degrees by which to accomplish its purposes:

MASTER OF ARTS

The candidates for this degree have majored in art history, communication or journalism.

Terie Leigh Box
B.A., 2003, The University of Memphis

Traci Joye Buck
B.S., 2003, Murray State University

Tanuja Surpuriya Coletta
B.A., 1997, The University of Memphis

Sara M. Curtis
B.A., 2003, Indiana University

Vicki Brashear Dabney
B.L.S., 2002, The University of Memphis

Colin Muldoon Donohue
B.A., 2005, Elon University

Amelia M. Foster
B.A., 2004, State University of New York at Stonybrook

Jodie Rose Gobler
B.A., 2004, St. Cloud State University

Ellis Gallion Harman
B.A., 2005, Elon University

Flora Brooke Hesse
B.A., 2004, Georgia State University
B.I.S., 2004, Georgia State University

Jobie Renee Hill
B.A., 2002, Rice University
B.Arch., 2004, Rice University

Alison Nicole Kurth
B.S., 2002, St. Ambrose University
M.Phil., 2003, University of Glasgow

Felisa A. McCarver
B.S., 1990, The University of Tennessee at Chattanooga

Tracy McLaughlin
B.A., 1987, Lambuth University

Brandi D. Morrigan
B.S., 1998, The University of North Dakota

Kimberly Anne Morris
B.A., 2003, Murray State University

William Hyatt O'Connell
B.A., 2004, Ohio Northern University

Erin A. Peters
B.A., 2003, Arizona State University

Tara Elizabeth Phillips
B.S., 2002, Arkansas State University

Victoria Anne Russell
A.B., 1998, Xavier University
M.Ed., 2006, Xavier University

Audrey Elise Scruton
B.S., 2005, Middle Tennessee State University

Andrea J. Shanley
B.A., 2003, Bucknell University

Lionel Jacob Shock
B.A., 2001, Harding University

Nicholas James Simpson
B.A., 1997, University of Reading
Certificate, 2003, University of North London

Andrew Stephen Trundle
B.A., 2005, Rhodes College

Jennifer Anne Weber
B.A., 1991, Moravian College
Certificate, 1994, Fairleigh Dickinson University

MASTER OF FINE ARTS

The candidates for this degree have majored in art or theatre.

Nancy Anne Cheairs
B.F.A., 1980, Memphis College of Art

Bonnie Jean Grube
B.S., 2004, Greensboro College

Michael D. Jones
A.S., 1999, Lord Fairfax Community College
B.A., 2002, Shenandoah University

Rachel King-Barr
B.A., 2004, The University of Central Arkansas

Christopher Jared Land
B.S., 2001, Lamar University

Laurie Maria Wamsley Land
A.A., 2000, Tarrant County Junior College
B.S., 2003, Lamar University

J. D. Sargent, Jr.
B.M., 1991, Lambuth University

Gena Marie Serey
B.F.A., 2002, The University of Kentucky

Jada Thompson
B.F.A., 2003, William Carey College

David Weston
B.A., 2004, State University of New York at Geneseo

MASTER OF MUSIC

The candidates for this degree have concentrated in conducting, performance, composition, musicology, music theory, Orff Schulwerk, sacred music, pedagogy, music education, or jazz and studio music.

Sara Bursey
B.M., 2005, The University of North Carolina at Greensboro

Zeynep Calikoglu
B.A., 2003, Hacettepe University Conservatory of Music

Mary Carrigan Carter
B.M., 1974, The University of Alabama
M.D., 1982, The University of Alabama

Josephine Elizabeth Cox
B.M., 2004, Samford University
B.A., 2004, Samford University

Philip James Dickman
B.A., 2004, Cumberland University

Elizabeth A. Geer
B.M., 1993, Memphis State University

Cailin Erinn Givens
B.M., 2003, Central Methodist University

Brian Garrett Holtin
B.A., 2004, Freed-Hardeman University

Gönenç Hongur
B.A., 2004, Bilkent University

Jason Jacob
B.M., 2005, The University of Missouri – Kansas City

Mark James Lynn
B.M., 2005, The University of Louisville

Jenny Lynd Robinson
B.M., 1998, The University of Southern Maine

Jonathan H. Schallert
B.M.Ed., 2005, Harding University

Etienne Stoupy
Licence, 2003, Lycee Thiers
Licence, 2005, Conservatorie National Des Arts, Lyon

Jack Benjamin Wilson, Jr.
B.M., 2005, The University of Mississippi

BACHELOR OF ARTS

Candidates for the oldest of the traditional baccalaureate degrees are students who have majored in art history; journalism with concentrations in either advertising, broadcast news, public relations, internet journalism or newspaper/magazine; or communication with concentrations in broadcast and electronic media, communication, or film and video production.

Brittany Allison Baker, *summa cum laude*
Christy Lauren Chapman, *summa cum laude*
Richard Jackson Hughes, *summa cum laude*
Amber Marie Jackson, *summa cum laude*
Timothy Lee Miller, *summa cum laude*

John Henris Davis, *magna cum laude*
Keith Thomas Franks, *magna cum laude*
Jennifer Marie Hale, *magna cum laude*
Kelly Elizabeth Jackson, *magna cum laude*
Kendall Anthony Jones, *magna cum laude*
Cassandra Lynn Kimberly, *magna cum laude*
Laqueta Lynette Perry, *magna cum laude*
Diane Marie Rozar, *magna cum laude (University Honors)*
Russell Marshall Streif III, *magna cum laude*
Brittany Lynn Strung, *magna cum laude (with University Honors)*
Linden Ashley Wilson, *magna cum laude*

Gwynneth Elinor Bradley, *cum laude*
Bridget Leigh Cavin, *cum laude*
Christen Kay Clayton, *cum laude*
Allyson Rebecca Coviak, *cum laude*
Amanda Michelle Hanson, *cum laude*
Ashley Kristina Hardy, *cum laude*
Natalie Marie Hart, *cum laude*
Christopher L. Johnson, *cum laude*
Jonathan Eric Lyons, *cum laude*
Rita Ann Sowell, *cum laude*

Allison Elizabeth Abney
Cedric Darrell Akins
Lillie Kathryn Alfonso
Jovon Taran Austin
Hannah Katherine Ayers
Sharon Blanks
Brooks Austin Boutwell
Mary Elizabeth Buchas
Gary Steven Burcl, Jr.
Ashley Ann Burross
Karita Malinda Carr
Neil Jeffrey Carrigan
Scott Eugene Carter
Akira Shanise Clay
Brian Raphael Cobb
Tiffani Nicole Cofield
Rachel LeeAnn Crosby
Ty William Deal
James Euless Derousselle
Dennis Clark Dickerson, Jr.
Alicia Dawn Everett
Brandon Wood Farrar
Donald Ross Feaster
LaShunda Celeste Flake
Heather Michelle Fortenberry
Jeffrey Allen Freeman
Jessica Lynn Fulcher
Destinee Maria Gentry
Richard Glenn Gipson
LaTonya Anita Gray
Mary Morgan Greer
Daniel Lawrence Hammer
Diana Sarantos Hatzigeorgiou
Gregory Lynn Hilliard, II
Robert William Huber, Jr.
Thomas Andrew Hunt
Justin Andrew Johnson
Marcus Calvin Johnson
Allen Ray Jones, Jr.
Erin Anastasia Kay
Bradley Bennett Kessler
JaNese Nicole King
Matthew Douglas Laurie
Olufemi H. Lee-Johnson
Rhoda Monaye Lindsey
Jack Hoke Lipsey
LaShundra LaShelle Lyons
Rachel Anne Montesi
Lisa Marie Moore
Robert Aaron Morgan
Angela Marie Norwood
Rubio Sylvester Phillips
Brittany Marie Pieraccini
Vincent R. Rogers
David Schneider
Arthur Carl Sewell III
Kimberly Anne Speros
Sabrina Lynn Stambaugh
Jared Daniel Stigler
Marcus LaTrell Walton
Dustin Jordan Warren
Alsandra Pittman Watson
Jesse Livingston Watt
Jennifer Louise Weatherly
Nicholas Alan White
Lucresha Wilson Yancy
William Timothy Younghouse

BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS

Candidates for this professional degree have majored in architecture; or art with concentrations in either art education; graphic design; interior design; ceramics, painting, sculpture, and printmaking; or photography; or theatre and dance with concentrations in either performance, design and technical production or dance. These graduates have been provided with greater opportunities for specialized study in their chosen field than could be possible under other baccalaureate programs.

Emily Faye Baker. *summa cum laude*

Ashley Susan Hammond. *summa cum laude*

Babak Keyvani. *summa cum laude*

Emily Marie Avery. *magna cum laude*
(with University Honors)
Jeffrey Edwin Bailey. *magna cum laude*
Stephen Michael Genesius Carignan. *magna cum laude*
Aaron Thomas Closz. *magna cum laude*
Kathryn Claire Kindelan. *magna cum laude*
Edward Simpson Puckett. *magna cum laude*
Kristen Marie Saunders. *magna cum laude*
Anthea Jane Selkirk. *magna cum laude*
Adam Payne Sloan. *magna cum laude*
Mario LaShean Walker. *magna cum laude*

Christopher Bentley Ashbrand. *cum laude*
Kellie Nicole Brown. *cum laude*
Jamin Zachary Carter. *cum laude*
Ashley Dawn Cole. *cum laude*
John Lawrence Donnelly. *cum laude*
Kasey Leigh Fitzsimmons. *cum laude*
Bradley Douglas Hanson. *cum laude*
Kamesha Letrece Hervey. *cum laude*
Kristen Jean Kines. *cum laude*
Katherine Vanessa Metz. *cum laude*
Kevin Ira Morrison. *cum laude*
Kevin Todd Murphy. *cum laude*
Corey Ryan Nelson. *cum laude*
Holly Lyn Tedford. *cum laude*
Philip Michael Yount. *cum laude*

Andrew Scott Abis
Kibibi L. Anderson
Sarah Buell Awsumb
Joshua Nicholas Bellaire
Jason Eugene Bishop
Erika Zabrina Boyd
Michel Connie Candebat
Roger Allan Cleaves
Courtney Allison Cray
Erika Tiffani Culler
Rebecca Lee Cupples
Ashley Wildman Edge
Anna Rae Ellis
Jessica Lee Erickson
David Michael Evans
Jacob Michael Fletcher
Rusty S. Hollingsworth
Dana Clarisse James
Aaron Justin Jones
Marc Anthony Keller
Jeffery Alan Langley
Adrienne deLathouder Littlefield
Serena Renae McGee
Long Van Nguyen
Lindsay Elayne Palmore
Jared Michael Parham
Travis Major Passons
William Conley Reilly III
Chaderlee Ann Roy
Jason Micheal Smith
Justin Lee Smith
Michael Ryan Stires
Dale Parker Suttle III
Steven William Vicars
Jason Grier Vinson
Alisha Marie Wall

BACHELOR OF MUSIC

Candidates for this professional degree have majored in music with concentrations in performance; sacred music; composition; music history; or school music; jazz and studio performance or jazz and studio composition/arranging or in music industry with concentrations in music business, and recording technology. These graduates have been provided with a greater opportunity for specialized study in a field of music than would be possible under other baccalaureate programs.

James Martin Bishop. *summa cum laude*
Nancy Kristina Lambert. *summa cum laude*
(with University Honors)
Heather Marie Owens. *summa cum laude*
Christina Janae Peterson. *summa cum laude*
(with University Honors)

BACHELOR OF MUSIC *(continued)*

Erin Renee Aguilera, *magna cum laude*
Lauren Elizabeth Brettell, *magna cum laude*
Meagan Michelle Clement, *magna cum laude*
(with University Honors)

Lori Catherine Williams, *magna cum laude*

Rebecca Frances Granger, *cum laude*
Sara Jean Hataway, *cum laude*

Dirk Lee Kitterlin, *cum laude*
Christina Diane Mitchell, *cum laude*

Sean Ryan Connelly
Andrew Carl Earle
Robert Brian Forbes
Joyclyn Danene Henderson
Louis Tony Lucchesi III
James Broderick Milton
George William Taylor
Iris Jackson Thompson
James Edward Underwood
Cecelia Mihaela Varadi
Christine Wronko
Brian Patrick Young

THE COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

Dean Henry A. Kurtz, Ph.D.

The aims and purposes of The College of Arts and Sciences are, *summa*rized in these words that serve as part of our official statement in the catalog issue of the University Bulletin: "The program of liberal studies aims (1) to provide students with a store of factual knowledge; (2) to introduce them to varying sets of principles; (3) to stimulate them to think about and to evaluate these facts and principles; and (4) to encourage them to order their own affairs and those of society with the talent, insight, and discrimination which they develop." We have been privileged to pursue these aims with the following students who are candidates for the five degrees which we offer:

MASTER OF ARTS

The candidates for this degree have majored in anthropology, criminal justice, earth sciences, English, history, philosophy, political science, romance languages, school psychology, sociology, or women's studies.

John Campbell Barrie
B.A., 2005, The University of Memphis

Wendy Daniel Bartlo
B.A., 2003, The University of New Mexico

Brigitte Nicole Billeaudeaux
B.A., 2005, The University of Memphis

Terri E. Bokros
B.A., 2005, Mississippi State University

Marta Cabrera
LL.M., 1993, Universidad Complutense de Madrid

Charline Nicole CaPece
B.A., 2005, Rhodes College

Laura Meyer Christenbury
B.A., 2005, The University of Memphis

James D. Conway, Jr.
B.A., 2003, The University of Central Arkansas

Kelly R. Daniels
B.A., 2000, Western Illinois University

Chrystal Elaine Dykes
B.A., 2004, The University of California at Los Angeles

Anna M. Esquivel
B.A., 2001, Christian Brothers University

Kimberly Joy Frantz
B.A., 2003, The University of Tennessee at Martin

Keith Dwayne Hall
B.A., 1991, Arkansas State University

Colleen Renee Harris
B.S., 2004, Jacksonville University

Debbie Zerjav Harwell
B.A., 1974, Texas Christian University

Alicia Kay Henager
B.A., 1992, The University of Illinois

Jason Robert Hodges
B.A., 2005, The University of Memphis

Ward Huddleston
B.A., 2005, The University of Memphis

John Brien Karas
B.A., 1999, Tulane University
B.A., 2005, The University of Delaware

Joanna Danielle Kendall
B.A., 2004, The University of Memphis

Kevin J. Maguire
B.A., 2005, Millsaps College

DiAnne L. Malone
B.A., 2003, The University of Louisiana at Monroe

Kendra L. Murphy
B.A., 2003, University of Central Arkansas

Don E. Mynatt
B.A., 2005, The University of Memphis

Catherine Elizabeth Norvell
B.F.A., 2004, Arkansas State University

Tammy Marie Prater
B.A., 2005, The University of Tennessee at Martin

Laura Rose Price
B.A., 2005, The University of Mississippi

MASTER OF ARTS (*continued*)

Elizabeth Mary Pulver
B.A., 2002, Indiana University

Paul E. Reed, Jr.
B.A., 2004, Maryville College

Rebecca Anne Rosa
A.S., 2003, Southwest Tennessee Community College
B.A., 2004, The University of Memphis

Elizabeth Ann Shaw
B.A., 2005, Christian Brothers University

Brooknut Tecola
B.A., 2001, Addis Ababa University

Todd Louis Thevenot
B.B.A., 2001, The University of Memphis

Crystal Dawn Ton
B.A., 2004, The University of Memphis

Janet Patton Tracy
B.A., 1999, The University of Memphis

Mark William Westmoreland
B.A., 2005, Union University

Rachel Proby Wright
B.A., 2002, Rhodes College

MASTER OF CITY AND REGIONAL PLANNING

The candidates for this degree have placed emphasis on areas of study such as land use and transportation planning, land use regulations or urban design.

Donald L. Anthony, Jr.
B.S., 2000, Lambuth University

Emily Kathryn Hunter
B.S., 2005, Birmingham-Southern College

Laura Elaine Jewell
B.L.A., 2002, Mississippi State University

Timothy Iaggi Moreland
B.A., 2002, Rhodes College

Heather Payne Sparkes
B.A., 1995, The University of Memphis
M.P.A., 1999, The University of Memphis

MASTER OF FINE ARTS

The candidates for this degree have majored in creative writing.

Michael J. Croley
B.A., 2000, Western Kentucky University
M.A., 2005, Florida State University

Stephen Dufrechou
B.A., 2004, The University of Memphis

Augusto Luiz Barbosa Facchini
B.A., 2004, The University of Memphis

Keith Aron McElmurry
B.A., 2003, Southern Illinois University at Carbondale

James Wilson Campbell Meacci
B.F.A., 1995, Rochester Institute of Technology

Christopher Court Ogilvie
B.A., 1997, The University of Tennessee

John Conrad Schulze
B.S., 2002, The University of New Orleans

Heather Elizabeth Seratt
B.A., 2001, Mississippi State University
M.A., 2003, The University of Tennessee

Robin Lea Towne
B.L.S., 1995, The University of Memphis

MASTER OF HEALTH ADMINISTRATION

The candidates for this degree have majored in health administration.

Amy D. Brown
B.A., 1999, Arkansas State University

Felipe Perie Finley
A.L.S., 2000, Saint Leo University
B.A., 2002, Saint Leo University

Leah J. Hetzler
A.A., 2002, Iowa Western Community College
B.S., 2004, Christian Brothers University

Christopher Martin Jenkins
B.S.B.A., 2001, The University of Montana

Benjamin Todd McGovern
B.A., 2001, The University of Memphis

Amanda Ruth Payne
A.A.S., 2005, Arkansas State University
B.S.R.S., 2005, Arkansas State University

Roxanne Mindy Rau
B.S., 2004, Crichton College

Nathan Scott Robertson
B.A., 1974, Millsaps College

Juan E. Ruiz
B.B.A., 2005, Mississippi State University

B.A., 2005, Mississippi State University

Ayesha Sarwar
B.S., 2004, The University of Memphis

Raymond H. Saunders
B.S., 2004, Christian Brothers University

Charu Sharma
B.S., 1999, University of Delhi
M.S., 2001, University of Delhi

Justin Paul Swearingen
B.S., 2003, Duquesne University

MASTER OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

The candidates for this degree have majored in public administration with emphasis in the areas of non-profit administration, public policy and management or urban management and planning.

Shauna Murphy Bateman
B.A., 2002, The University of Virginia

Nicole Andrea Doty
A.S., 1997, Central Piedmont Community College
B.S., 1999, The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Sabina Akberali Khetani
B.D.S., 2002, Sharad Pawar Dental College

MASTER OF SCIENCE

The candidates for this degree have majored in applied computer science, bioinformatics biology, chemistry, computer science, earth sciences, mathematical sciences, physics, or psychology.

Geetha Aradhyula
B.S., 2000, Osmania University
M.C.A., 2003, Bharathiar University

Rukhsana Azeem
B.T., 2005, Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University

L. Todd Banner
B.S., 2000, The University of Missouri-Columbia

Elzbieta B. Białkowska-Jelinska
M.Geog., 2002, The University of Lodz

Sarah Colleen Bowen
B.S., 2005, The University of Mississippi

Hannah Burton
B.A., 2004, University of Cambridge Trinity College

Ioannis Leonidas Chountas
B.S., 1997, The University of Athens
M.S., 2004, Athens University of Economics & Business

MASTER OF SCIENCE *(continued)*

Shawn Vincent Cook
B.S., 1998, Old Dominion University

Laura Holt Dlouhy
B.S., 2003, The University of North Alabama

David Robert Earnest
B.S., 2003, The University of Tennessee at Martin

Anna K. Featherston
B.S., 2003, The University of Southern Mississippi

Sylwia Dominika Feibelman
M.Geog., The University of Lodz

Timothy James Flanigan
B.S., 2003, East Tennessee State University

LaTroy Darnell Francisco
B.S., 2005, Albany State University

Matthew J. Hargrove
B.S., 2003, Virginia Polytechnic Institute & State University

Jennifer R. Henretty
B.A., 2000, Ohio Wesleyan University

Michael-Jon Ainsley Hore
B.S., 2005, The University of Memphis

Anna R. Inman
B.A., 1998, The University of Memphis

Shalini R. Janamma
B.E., 2004, Osmania University

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B.Ph., 2002, Osmania University

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A.S., 1994, Jefferson Community College
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B.S.E.T., 2002, Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University
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Jasmine Charlé McNeill
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A.S., 2003, Central Virginia Community College
B.S., 2005, The University of Memphis

Content H. Nightingale
B.S., 1997, Xavier University of Louisiana

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B.T., 2003, Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University

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B.A., 1994, Beijing Language & Culture University
M.A., 2000, The University of Memphis
M.S., 2002, The University of Memphis

Lei Ren
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Serge A. Salan
B.S., 2003, Université Saint-Joseph
M.S., 2004, Université Saint-Joseph

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B.S.T., 2002, Dr. Babasahed Ambedkar Technological University

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A.S., 1997, Dyersburg State Community College
B.S., 2003, The University of Tennessee at Martin

BACHELOR OF ARTS

The candidates for this degree have majored in African and African American Studies, Anthropology, Criminology and Criminal Justice, Economics, English, Foreign Languages, Geography, History, International Studies, Philosophy, Political Science, Psychology, Social Work, or Sociology.

Amanda Margaret Armstrong, *summa cum laude*
Donnie Lee Bailey, *summa cum laude*
Karla Yaneth Castillo, *summa cum laude*
Christina Mae-Wah Chan, *summa cum laude*
Jessica Ann Ditto, *summa cum laude*
Jennifer Anne Drabowicz, *summa cum laude*
Marlee Erin Goss, *summa cum laude*
Stephanie Nicole Harvey, *summa cum laude*
Melissa May Joy, *summa cum laude*
Doris Marie Leeper, *summa cum laude*
(University Honors with Thesis)
(with Psychology Honors)

Christy Lynn Lewis, *summa cum laude*
Erin Jeanne Lightman, *summa cum laude*
(with Psychology Honors)
Shirah Denise Lowery, *summa cum laude*
Brittany Lynn Luckett, *summa cum laude*
Marcus Allen Luno, *summa cum laude*
Jennifer Nicole Price, *summa cum laude*
April Michelle Rowland, *summa cum laude*
(with University Honors)
(with English Honors)
Valeria Acosta Roy, *summa cum laude*
Natalie Fay Taylor, *summa cum laude*

Tyler Davis Trew, *summa cum laude*
Liel Jenny White, *summa cum laude*
Megan K. Zirnstein, *summa cum laude*
(University Honors with Thesis)
(with Psychology Honors)
Irena Zugic, *summa cum laude*

Preston Matthew Adams, *magna cum laude*
Joshua Dwain Alley, *magna cum laude*
(University Honors with Thesis)
(with English Honors)
Kimberly Malia Baugh, *magna cum laude*
Joseph Kenneth Botelho, *magna cum laude*
Kendall Marie Boyd, *magna cum laude*
Younghee Choi, *magna cum laude*
Amy Diane Cox, *magna cum laude*
Brittany Leigh Davenport, *magna cum laude*
Pamela Michelle Demmitt, *magna cum laude*
(with University Honors)
(with Psychology Honors)
Danise Michelle Douglass, *magna cum laude*
Suha H. Dweik, *magna cum laude*
Remika LaShaye Fayne, *magna cum laude*
Leigha Natalie Francis, *magna cum laude*
(with Psychology Honors)
Angela Marie Garrone, *magna cum laude*
Emily Rose Garrone, *magna cum laude*

Anna Marie Girdner, *magna cum laude*
John Nathanael Guess, *magna cum laude*
Henry F. Harvey, *magna cum laude*
Michael Klaus Jetter, *magna cum laude*
LeAndrea Kafi Johnson, *magna cum laude*
James Jones, Jr., *magna cum laude*
Adam Michael Kennedy, *magna cum laude*
Christopher Michael Kennemore, *magna cum laude*
Jessica Suzann Laubacker, *magna cum laude*
Matthew Coke Lindsey, *magna cum laude*
John Robert Marek, *magna cum laude*
Nicole Michelle McGhee, *magna cum laude*
Matthew Ray Mitchell, *magna cum laude*
Caitlin Claire Nickell, *magna cum laude*
Holly Elizabeth Pearson, *magna cum laude*
Monica Rae Rejaei, *magna cum laude*
Lindsey Jane Rice, *magna cum laude*
(University Honors)
(with Psychology Honors)
Sara Elizabeth Rosenthal, *magna cum laude*

Jennifer Nicole Sanders, *magna cum laude*
(with Sociology Honors)
Kelly Lee Sanderson, *magna cum laude*
(University Honors with Thesis)
Lindsey Joyce Scott, *magna cum laude*
(with University Honors)
Jessica Leigh Setzer, *magna cum laude*
Stacey Lauren Shepard, *magna cum laude*
Valerie Elise Short, *magna cum laude*
Brandon Joston Stewart, *magna cum laude*
Bridgett Lynn Stigger, *magna cum laude*
Khristina Marie Strohm, *magna cum laude*
Robert Wesley Taylor, *magna cum laude*
Stephanie Lynn Treese, *magna cum laude*
William Wesley Turner, *magna cum laude*
Jessica Rose Unthank, *magna cum laude*
Anna Marie Zaborowski, *magna cum laude*

Julianne Marie Bitely, *cum laude*
(with Psychology Honors)
Dorian Clark, *cum laude*
Amanda Lee Clifton, *cum laude*
Terricka Lynez Darden, *cum laude*
Lindsay Kathleen Eason, *cum laude*
Jennifer Anne Freeman, *cum laude*
Catherine Bosley Ginn, *cum laude*

Jeffrey Kent Gordon, *cum laude*
LaNisha Yarnell Graham, *cum laude*
Jonathan Houston Hagewood, *cum laude*
Scott Leigh Healy, *cum laude*
Steven P. Hessling, *cum laude*
(with University Honors)
Tia Beth Holland, *cum laude*
(University Honors)

Jack Norman Ives, *cum laude*
Allyson Elizabeth Janelli, *cum laude*
Mary Eleanor Jordan, *cum laude*
Kevin Francis Karl, *cum laude*
(with Psychology Honors)
(University Honors with Thesis)
Erika Jane Lingard, *cum laude*
Rashad Jermaine Lynch, *cum laude*

BACHELOR OF ARTS *(continued)*

Lauren Ashley McAdams, *cum laude*
Jamion Gerrard McNeil, *cum laude*
Katherine Michelle Murphy, *cum laude*
Kristi Lyn Nobbman, *cum laude*
Christy Chenelle Noel, *cum laude*
Amanda Gail Pruit, *cum laude*
Sarah Kathrine Ritchie, *cum laude*
Matthew Christian Russell, *cum laude*
Amanda Kay Simpson, *cum laude*
William Louis Smith, *cum laude*
Lauren Ashley Taylor, *cum laude*
Robert James Thaxton, *cum laude*
Paul Thomas Travis, *cum laude*
Grady Philbert Vaughn, III, *cum laude*
(with University Honors)
Trevor Morris Watson, *cum laude*
Jaime Lynn Wells, *cum laude*
Matthew Lynn Woodruff, *cum laude*
(with English Honors)
Christopher Louis Young, *cum laude*
Violetta Sereyana Zelikov, *cum laude*

J. Morgan Adair
LaTricea Danise Adams
Melissa Anne Allen
Jon Duncan Alsup
Tonya Lashae Arnold
Derek LaShun Austin
James Douglas Bagwell
Jared Barker
Phillip Lee Bennett
Crystal Jane Bishop
Regina Roschelle Blaine
Jannira Lee Bolden
David Allen Boone
Jessica Rainey Bowden
Elizabeth Ann Bradley
Amanda Rose Bramlett
Catrina Danielle Calvert
Stephanie Michelle Carney
Arlene Blazo Carpenter
Fundisha Eusi Carroll
James Eric Chester
Erica Clark
Crystal Ann Clay
Aletra Chalease Cobbs
Melissa Lauren Cox
Christine Danielle Croom
Benjamin Pearson Crowe
Parker Davis Culver
Nastasia Racquel Dangerfield
LaToya Antoinette Dansby
Patricia Faith Davis
Jenny Jobe Demilio
Andrew Shuler DeShazo
Melanie Lynn Desmuke
Willard Lynn Doles Jr.
Tamika Marie Donald
Charles C. Drennon, IV
Malissa Elaine Duckworth
Jennifer Lynn Dyer
Anna Elizabeth Ellis
Tiesha Lavett English
Jessica Latoya Ervin
Ashley Denise Farmer
Harmony Lee Farner
Kimberly Adea Fields
Courtney Brooke Freeman
Christopher Paul Gallina
Elijah Gilbert Gann
Tracey Lynn Gann Lambert
Michael Wilson Garner Jr.
Zandra Denise Giles
Jiquay Lynette Glenn
Valerie Dawn Gooden
Joshua Matthew Halman
Scott Kenyon Hamm
Cynthia Anne Hammond
Marceil Casha Hardaway
Enri Deroyce Harrell
Sarah Louise Harris
Marsha Lynn Harris-Gray
Samuel Rickman Hatchett
Brett Culley Heinrich
Shelby Mallory Herrod
John Kevin Hill
Vandy Maurice Hill
Mandy Rae Holliman
Tanekia Renee Holmes
Laura Elizabeth Houston
Olivia Ruth Hulsey
Andrew L. Hulvey
Tonia Yvette Hutley
Pamela Michelle James
Heather Sherree Jendoubi
Ann-Marie Johnson
Joshua Cain Johnson
Randi LaTrice Johnson
Wende Renee Johnson
David Orlando Jones, Jr.
Henri Carol Jones
Kimberly Brooke Jones
Tiffany Sheree Jones
Cynthia Fern Jordan
Kerri Marie Kurrus
Julia Yi Lane
Shayla Alise Lawrence
Derek Elisha Little
Latesha Lyons
Kametra N. Maclin
Melanie Lynn Marion
Brandee Lynn Masterson
Summer Moneice Mathews
Edwin Mayorga
Jacqueline Renee McDaniel
Daniel Stephen McGarry
Edward Hallie McGowen
Michael Thomas McKinzie
Tanesha Lichelle Nash
Natasha Renee Nelson
Peter Allan Nelson
Corey LaCarlos Newell
Lindsay Elizabeth Nichols
Bridget Ann Norfork
Melissa Renea Oliver
Ashley Laneé Owens
Terrell Ontario Owens
Mandy Dawn Parris
Lauren Nicole Pate
Binny A. Patel
Violet Kennita Payne
Adam Christian Peachey
Amber Renee Perry
Brian Keith Phillips
Jesse Joseph Pierce
Jacqueline Olivia Prince-Griffin
Jonathan Lee Propst
Bryan Perry Putnam
Beth Allison Raburn
Antonique Reeves
Marlon Mandel Rice
David Montford Rogers, V
Joshua D. Rogers
Nicole Erin Rogers
Darrell Keith Ryan
Toriell Elise Sanford
Adam Robert Schepman
Shelbye Levine Scott
Heather Lynn See
Melanie Marie Shafer
Julie Renee Shankle
Jennifer Kathleen Shupe
Adam Patrick Signaigo
Shannon Lindsey Speer
Amanda Gail Spencer
Christina Marie Stacel
Ruth Stansbury
Jacquelyn Leigh Starrett
Kimberly Michelle Stewardson
Paul Andrew Sudduth
Christopher Brian Suell
Tara Marie Rochelle Taylor
Rhagan Janeen Thomas
Beth Anne Turnage
Sylvia Ann Turner
Courtney Rolanda Valentine
Deshel S. Valley
Jewel Hemingway Wade
Gregory Andrew Wagner
Janice I. Walker
Adam Joseph Wanderman
Brittany Anne Weed
Tomeka L. Warren
Joseph Dustin Weintraub
Jacob M. White
Rhonda Lee Williamson
Royce L. Woods
Karen Cathleen Woody
Christina Lynn Wright
Nathaniel Donta Wright
Justin Christopher Zachary

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

The candidates for this degree have majored in Biology, Chemistry, Computer Science, Geography, Geological Sciences, Mathematical Sciences, Microbiology and Molecular Cell Sciences, or Physics.

Emily Claire Barker, *summa cum laude*
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Tomasz Biernacki, *summa cum laude*
Robert William Bruno, *summa cum laude*
Maryanne Matinee Chumpia, *summa cum laude*
(University Honors)
Nathanael Levi Hilzinger, *summa cum laude*
Philip Michael Holden, *summa cum laude*
Shynne Kim, *summa cum laude*
Patrik Luzny, *summa cum laude*
Mariam Mostafavi, *summa cum laude*
(University Honors)
Phung Kim Ngo, *summa cum laude*
Derek Dryden Norman, *summa cum laude*
Erin Nicole Nutter, *summa cum laude*
Joel David Revalee, *summa cum laude*
(with University Honors)

William R. Ashe, *magna cum laude*
Wasif Husni Dweik, *magna cum laude*
Tara Lynne Gardner, *magna cum laude*
Sarah Louise Hockaday, *magna cum laude*
(University Honors)
Rebecca E. McMahon, *magna cum laude*
(University Honors)
Elizabeth Ann Metcalf, *magna cum laude*
(University Honors)
Jaime Millan, *magna cum laude*
John Michael Panter, *magna cum laude*
Jordan Blake Sanders, *magna cum laude*
Jennifer Leigh Simmons, *magna cum laude*
Stephan Thomas Spencer, *magna cum laude*
(University Honors with Thesis)
(with Mathematics Honors)
Andrew John Tobias, *magna cum laude*
(University Honors)

Lauren Kaleonani Anderson, *cum laude*
Andrea Louise Carpenter, *cum laude*
Leah Rhea Dowda, *cum laude*
Jennifer Jeu Foon, *cum laude*
Christine Ann Hauther, *cum laude*
(University Honors with Thesis)
Laurie Nicole Johnson, *cum laude*
Ryan Logan Marson, *cum laude*
Lauren Ashley McAdams, *cum laude*
Primesh M. Modi, *cum laude*
Kristy Chau Nguyen, *cum laude*
Tan-Eric Nguyen, *cum laude*
Thu Minh Nguyen, *cum laude*
Carlesia Dyonna Smith, *cum laude*
Kevin Michael Smith, *cum laude*
Daniel Matthew Wolcott, *cum laude*

Ameenah Aisha Ameen
John Casey Austin
Alpha Ba
Barbara Ann Bergschicker
Nicole Yvette Brooks
Sondra Annette Bush
Melanie Dawn Butler
Edward Richner Charbonnet
Michelle LeAnn Collins
Forrest Nathaniel Gibson
Misha Shantu Hari
Phuong-Trang Thi Hua
Christina Diane Hyde
Stephanie Lynn Johnson
Naiomi Nicole Jones
Lillian Fatima Madyun
Nakoma Rose Marks
Amy Jean Marx
Michael John Murray
Sravanthi Silpa Pallapothu
Jennifer Marie Penny
Lubabah Syeda Quadri
Keysha R. Ray
Michael Hayden Rikard
Charles Matthew Rogers
Sami Sakaan
David Scot Sanford
James Keaton Smith
Keisha Danielle Smith
Maggie Mankiu So
Hannah R. Stephens
Warlisa Keila Stewart
Joy Stokes
Tina Faye Stubbs
Gigia Elise Tipton
Amanda Marie Vogel
Christopher Evan Watson

COLLEGE MARSHALS

College Marshal is an honored and traditional role performed by the faculty at Commencement. Each college in the University identifies at least two faculty members who organize and lead the candidates into the arena and to the stage during the ceremony. In recent years, the undergraduate student with the highest grade point average in the college has been invited to join the Faculty College Marshals in this distinguished leadership role.

Academic Marshals: Dr. William J. Thompson, Dr. Barbara Ann Ching, Dr. Mary Beth Mader, Ms. Christina Chan, Ms. Maryanne Chumpia, Ms. Doris Leeper, Mr. Derek Norman, and Mr. Joel David Revalee
College of Arts and Sciences

Dr. Gary K. Golightly, Dr. Sandra J. Sarkela, and Ms. Nancy Khristina Lambert
College of Communication and Fine Arts

Dr. Broderick E. Nichols, Dr. Thomas D. Cox, and Ms. Roslyn Wells Weiss
University College

Ms. Marion B. Hammett
School of Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology

Dr. Thomas J. Nenon
Graduate School, Doctoral Hooding Ceremony

THE UNIVERSITY OF MEMPHIS WIND ENSEMBLE

Dr. Nicholas V. Holland III, *Conductor*

Piccolo
Megan Cloud
Amber Williamson

Flute
Megan Cloud
Allen Moody
Amber Williamson

Alto Flute
Amber Williamson

Oboe
Phillip Farrow III
Robert Nathan Nix
Megan Zirnstein

English Horn
Robert Nathan Nix

Bassoon
Charles Hughes
Garrett McQueen

Contra Bassoon
Christopher Myles Jackson
Garrett McQueen

Clarinet
André Feagin
Kofi Martin
Emrah Ozturk
Terrance Stevenson

Bass Clarinet
Katherine Slack
Michael Westmoreland

Contra Bass Clarinet
Michael Westmoreland

Saxophone
Walter Hoehn – Alto/Sop
Rod Hardin – Alto
Joshua McClain – Tenor
Justin Johnson – Baritone

Horn
Abby Kattentidt
Jessica Presley
Brandon Rushing
Jonathan Schallert

Trumpet
Jon Cresci
Mark Lynn
Spencer Nesvick
Etienne Stoupy
Matthew Taylor

Trombone
Anthony N. Williams
Chris Tucker

Bass Trombone
David Dick

Tuba
Chris Vivio
Brian Holtin

Euphonium
Lauren Watson
Anthony Brown

Timpani
Jonathan Epting
Stewart Plumlee

Percussion
Jonathan Epting
Cory Daniels

String Bass
Matthew Grant

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AFTERNOON CEREMONY

2:00 P.M.

DOCTORAL HOODING CEREMONY

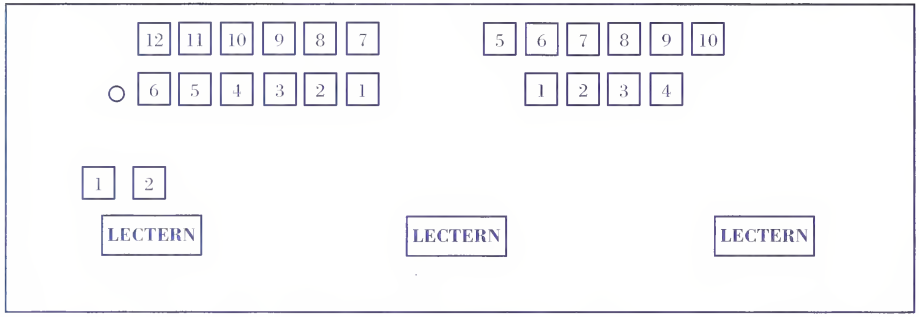
HERFF COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

LOEWENBERG SCHOOL OF NURSING

FOGELMAN COLLEGE OF BUSINESS AND ECONOMICS

AFTERNOON CEREMONY
PRESIDENT'S PLATFORM PARTY



LEFT SIDE

1. **Dr. Ralph J. Faudree,** Provost
2. **Dr. Douglas E. Hurley,** Vice President for Information Technology and CIO
3. **Ms. Julie A. Johnson,** Vice President for Advancement
4. **Ms. Maegan D. Ratliff,** President, Student Government Association
5. **Mr. Michael D. Neal,** Member, Executive Committee, National Alumni Association
6. **Dr. Stanley E. Stevens, Jr.,** President, Faculty Senate
7. **Mr. Josef W. McClellan,** Soloist
8. **Dr. M. David Arant, Jr.,** Associate Dean, University College
9. **Ms. Moira J. Logan,** Associate Dean, College of Communication and Fine Arts
10. **Dr. Ric A. Honda,** Dean, College of Education
11. **Dr. Maurice I. Mendel,** Dean, School of Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology
12. **Dr. Sylverna V. Ford,** Dean, University Libraries

RIGHT SIDE

1. **Dr. Shirley C. Raines,** President
2. **Mr. Rudi E. Scheidt,** Speaker and Honorary Degree Recipient
3. **The Honorable Gregory M. Duckett,** Member, Tennessee Board of Regents
4. **Dr. Chrisann Schiro-Geist,** Senior Vice Provost for Academic Affairs
5. **Dr. Karen D. Weddle-West,** Vice Provost for Graduate Programs
6. **Dr. James R. Smoot,** Dean, Cecil C. Humphreys School of Law
7. **Dr. Henry A. Kurtz,** Dean, College of Arts and Sciences
8. **Dr. John J. Pepin,** Dean, Fogelman College of Business and Economics
9. **Dr. Richard C. Warder, Jr.,** Dean, Herff College of Engineering
10. **Dr. Marjorie F. Luttrell,** Dean, Loewenberg School of Nursing

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Dr. Shu Li, Assistant Professor, College of Communication and Fine Arts, Pronouncer

Dr. Robert W. McDowell, Associate Professor, College of Communication and Fine Arts, Pronouncer

AFTERNOON CEREMONY PROGRAM

PRELUDE and FANFARE
First Suite in E-Flat for Military Band ..... *Gustav Holst*
The Washington Post ..... *John Philip Sousa*
National Emblem ..... *E. E. Bagley*
The Army of the Nile ..... *Kenneth Alford*
Symphonic Metamorphosis of Themes by Carl Maria von Weber ..... *Paul Hindemith*
Fanfare on God Bless America ..... *Carmen Dragon*
The University of Memphis Symphonic Band
Dr. Nicholas V. Holland III, Conductor

PRESIDING ..... Dr. Ralph J. Faudree
Provost

PROCESSIONAL*
Pomp and Circumstance ..... *Sir Edward Elgar*

PRESENTATION OF COLORS* ..... The Color Guard
United States Air Force Reserve Officers Training Corps Honor Guard

THE NATIONAL ANTHEM* ..... *Francis Scott Key*
Mr. Josef W. McClellan, Soloist

SALUTATIONS TO THE CLASS
President, Student Government Association ..... Ms. Maegan D. Ratliff
Member, Executive Committee, National Alumni Association ..... Mr. Michael D. Neal

GREETINGS FROM THE TENNESSEE BOARD OF REGENTS ..... The Honorable Gregory M. Duckett

THE PRESIDENT'S WELCOME ..... Dr. Shirley C. Raines
President of the University

ADDRESS ..... Mr. Rudi E. Scheidt
Corporate Leader and Philanthropist

HONORARY DEGREE CEREMONY ..... Dr. Ralph J. Faudree

PRESENTATION OF THE HONORARY DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF LETTERS ..... Dr. Shirley C. Raines

RESPONSE ..... Mr. Rudi E. Scheidt

PRESENTATION OF THE CANDIDATES ..... The Academic Deans

CONFERRAL OF DEGREES IN COURSE ..... Dr. Shirley C. Raines

PRONOUNCERS ..... Dr. Robert W. McDowell
Dr. Shu Li

The Doctoral Degrees
The Master Degrees
The Baccalaureate Degrees

THE ALMA MATER* ..... *J. W. Brister*
Mr. McClellan

RECESSIONAL*
Crown Imperial ..... *William Walton*

***Please stand**
Guests are requested to remain in guest seating during the ceremony; and, after the Alma Mater, to remain in place until the Platform Party has departed.

THE GRADUATE SCHOOL

Vice Provost for Graduate Programs, Karen D. Weddle-West, Ph.D.

The Graduate School of The University of Memphis is the center of advanced study and research within the University. The basic objectives of The Graduate School are: (a) to preserve and disseminate knowledge now available in the humanities, the sciences, and the various professional areas represented by the departmental graduate faculties; (b) to extend knowledge through basic research; and (c) to prepare men and women to assume a more responsible and useful role in society.

DOCTOR OF EDUCATION

Elizabeth Sordinas Hecren – Department of Instruction & Curriculum Leadership
B.S.Ed., 1982, Memphis State University
M.Ed., 1984, Memphis State University
M.Ed., 1988, Memphis State University
Dissertation: *"Exploring the New Literacies: Instruction and Assessment Practices of Middle School Teachers of Internet Literacy"*
Major Professor: Dr. Rebecca S. Anderson

Fethi Ahmet Inan – Department of Instruction & Curriculum Leadership
B.S., 2001, Middle East Technical University
M.S., 2003, Middle East Technical University
Dissertation: *"Examination of Factors Affecting Technology Integration in K-12 Schools: A Path Analysis"*
Major Professor: Dr. Deborah L. Lowther

Sharon Coleman Ivie – Department of Leadership
B.S., 1976, Southeast Missouri State University
M.S., 1999, Southeast Missouri State University
Dissertation: *"School Leaders' Behavior Informed by Thirteen Core Leadership Competencies and the Relationship to Teacher Job Satisfaction"*
Major Professor: Dr. Reginald L. Green

Peatchola Jones-Cole – Department of Leadership
B.A., 1977, Christian Brothers College
M.S., 1978, Memphis State University
Dissertation: *"Mississippi Freedom Schools: A Response Strategy to the Civil Rights Movement in Mississippi"*
Major Professor: Dr. Linda H. Wesson

Angela McCrackin Nichols – Department of Leadership
B.S., 1994, The University of Tennessee at Martin
M.A.T., 1999, The University of Memphis
Dissertation: *"A Study of Teacher Leadership Roles and Their Association to Institutional Benefits as Perceived by Principals and Instructional Facilitators"*
Major Professor: Dr. Reginald L. Green

Janet M. Rasmussen-Wilbert – Department of Leadership
B.A., 1990, Sonoma State University
M.A., 1998, Murray State University
Dissertation: *"Perceived Barriers to Developing an Entry-Level Master's Degree Program in Athletic Training"*
Major Professor: Dr. Katrina A. Meyer

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Philip A. Batty – Department of Counseling, Educational Psychology & Research
B.A., 1990, The University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
M.A., 1992, Tulane University
Dissertation: *"Concurrent Validity of Three Measures of Student Learning in College"*
Major Professor: Dr. John C. Smart

Luciana Echazu – Department of Economics
B.A., 1998, Universidad del Salvador
M.B.A., 2001, East Carolina University
M.A., 2006, The University of Memphis
Dissertation: *"Theoretical Considerations on Corruption and an Essay on International Trade"*
Major Professor: Dr. Pinaki Bose

Benjamin Douglas Simmons – Department of Mechanical Engineering
B.S.M.E., 1999, The University of Memphis
M.S., 2002, The University of Memphis
Dissertation: *"Applications of Magnetic Fields to Control Fluids in Reduced Gravity"*
Major Professor: Dr. John I. Hochstein

Jollean K. Sinclaire – Department of Management Information Systems
B.B.A., 2001, The University of Memphis
M.B.A., 2003, The University of Memphis
Dissertation: *"Initial Trust Formation in B2C E-Commerce: The Effects of Social Influence and Artifacts of Institutional Trust and Social Presence on Willingness to Provide Personal Information Online"*
Major Professor: Dr. Ronald B. Wilkes

THE HERFF COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

Dean Richard C. Warder, Jr., Ph.D.

The mission of the College of Engineering is: to provide quality education, research, and service that responds to the needs and challenges of the Mid-South region; to promote the knowledge, skills, ethics, creativity, and critical thinking necessary for professional competence and lifelong learning, including an international perspective and a social awareness and to conduct quality scholarship and research across the College, including world-class reaearch in selected areas. The following are the degrees offered with the appropriate concentrations within the respective areas:

MASTER OF SCIENCE

The candidates for this degree have majored in civil engineering, electrical engineering, biomedical engineering, mechanical engineering or engineering technology.

Thierno Lamarana Barry
B.S., 2002, University of Conakry

Savas Dermanel
B.S.E.E., 2003, The University of Memphis

Aaron Savio D'Souza
B.S., 2000, Christian Brothers University

Orges Furxhi
B.S., 2005, Harding University

Benjamin Hamilton
B.S.E.E., 2005, The University of Memphis

Murali Krishna Kandula
B.S.T., 2005, Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University

Benjamin Neil Ledsinger
B.S.E., 2000, Tennessee Technological University

Richard Kirk Moore
B.S.E.E., 2005, The University of Memphis

Orfanidis Paraskevas
B.S., 2001, The University of Memphis

Kevin Roos
B.S.M.E., 2005, The University of Memphis

Matthew A. Scoggins
B.S.E.E., 2002, The University of Memphis

Sivaramakrishnan Shivkumar
B.E., 2001, Bharathiar University

Buvaneshwari Sivakumar
B.E.E., 1999, University of Madras
M.S.E., 2005, Uttar Pradesh Technical University

Andrew Nash Smothers
B.S., 2000, Louisiana State University

Amanullah Talpur
B.E., 1989, Mehran University

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The most historic college at the University of Memphis, the College of Education is nationally accredited and seeks to prepare teachers, education related professionals, and other licensed human service professionals to become effective leaders within their chosen career. The College holds the distinction of being one of the few in the nation to meet, without a weakness, National Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE) standards.

In addition to high-quality classroom instruction, most programs are field based. Practical experiences and opportunities for participation in exciting hands-on training and research exist at our award winning Campus School, the Barbara K. Lipman Early Childhood School and Research Institute, our local Professional Development Schools, the nationally known Center for Research in Educational Policy, and internship programs in various community businesses and agencies, all where experts in the student's field of study and University faculty work together to provide valuable on-the-job experience. The College offers off-campus courses at our Collierville, Jackson, and Dyersburg campuses and is a state leader in alternative online degree and licensure programs.

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THE FOGELMAN COLLEGE OF BUSINESS AND ECONOMICS

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The Fogelman College of Business and Economics offers a comprehensive undergraduate degree, the Bachelor of Business Administration degree. The goal of the undergraduate program of the Fogelman College of Business and Economics is to provide the basic education needed to prepare a person to enter the field of business and to move rapidly from an entry level position into a managerial position.

We believe the curriculum that best accomplishes this goal consists of four components. First, a broad foundation of course work is provided in the liberal arts and sciences. At least 40 percent of the work taken by each student in the Fogelman College of Business and Economics is in the humanities, the social sciences, the natural and physical sciences, communications, and mathematics.

Second, the curriculum includes a significant amount of study of the economic and legal environment of business and introduces each of the major functional fields of business-management information systems, accounting, finance, management, and marketing.

Third, the curriculum provides for a choice of a major by the student. The student is permitted to select a major from accounting; business economics, with a concentration in financial economics; finance with concentrations in business finance, real estate, and risk management and insurance; hospitality resort management; international business; management; management information systems; marketing management; sales; logistics supply chain management.

Fourth, the Bachelor of Business Administration curriculum provides students with a number of open electives. Through these electives, the student may select courses particularly suited to her or his own interests, thus providing an opportunity for the student to pursue in greater breadth and depth the study of business or related fields.

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The candidates for this degree have majored in business administration with emphasis in international business.

Meredith Abigail Broadhead
B.S.B.A., 2005, The University of North Carolina at Charlotte
B.A., 2005, The University of North Carolina at Charlotte

Daniel Leland Christian
B.A., 1996, Austin Peay State University
M.S., 2005, Austin Peay State University

Caroline Monnaux Goodman
B.B.A., 2005, The University of Memphis

Kosha Dhirendra Mehta
B.S., 2002, Embry Riddle Aeronautical University

Jessica Coleman Mohon
B.B.A., 2004, Lambuth University

Kathryn Chandler Newell
B.A., 2005, Auburn University

Jakub Novak
B.S., 2005, Norfolk State University

Erica Elizabeth Smith
B.A., 2002, Wichita State University
B.B.A., 2002, Wichita State University

Joshua Daniel Wright
B.A., 2005, The University of Memphis

MASTER OF ARTS

The candidates for this degree have majored in Economics.

Dennis Dallas Arvik
B.B.A., 2002, The University of Memphis

Oday Saad Baddar
B.B.A., 2001, The University of Memphis

Franck Ignace Diadhiou
B.B.A., 2001, The University of Memphis

Kathryn Abel Graffam
B.S., 2005, Millsaps College

Christine V. Hill
B.S., 2003, Middle Tennessee State University

Debjani Kanjilal
B.S., 1999, University of Calcutta
M.S., 2001, University of Calcutta

MASTER OF ARTS *(Continued)*

Wei Li
B.E., 1999, Beijing Polytechnic University

Deepraj Mukherjee
B.S., 2003, University of Calcutta
M.S., 2005, University of Calcutta

Rebecca Anne Pope
B.A., 2005, The University of Memphis

MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

The candidates for this degree have majored in business administration with emphasis in the areas of accounting; economics; finance, insurance and real estate; management, management science and operations management; marketing; law; the executive program; or management information systems.

Kudzo Adekpuitor
B.S., 1978, The University of Illinois at Chicago

Marlin H. Anderson III
B.Ch.E., 1989, Auburn University

Vincent A. Bacigalupo
B.S.E.T., 1979, Memphis State University

L. Todd Banner
B.S., 2000, The University of Missouri-Columbia

Diane C. Benson
B.B.A., 1986, Texas State University at San Marcos

Phylis A. Buck
B.S., 1980, Bethel College

Barry Allan Carmichael
B.B.A., 2005, The University of Memphis

Melanie Moore Carter
B.B.A., 2000, The University of Memphis

Sudhir Chandrasekhar
B.E., 1991, University of Calicut
M.E., 1993, University of Mangalore

Darrell Thomas Cobbins
B.A., 1997, Rhodes College

Chaitanya Sravanthi Dandaboina
B.S.E.T., 2004, Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University

Damian DeFazio
B.S., 1996, University of Notre Dame

Keith L. Dillihunt
B.B.A., 1990, Memphis State University

James A. Dorris
B.S., 1999, Murray State University
M.S., 2001, Murray State University

Cindy K. Fong
B.B.A., 2004, The University of Memphis

Dimitrious Zois Giannopoulos
B.E., 1998, National Technical University of Athens

Kimberly E. Gross
B.S., 1994, The University of Missouri-Rolla

James Ross Gulla
B.A., 1993, Memphis State University

Victoriya Gurbanska
B.A., 2002, Kirovograd State University

David L. Hagedorn
B.S., 1968, Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology

Bryan Marshall Hayes
A.S., 1993, Jackson State Community College
B.S.Ed., 1996, The University of Memphis

William Allen Hudson
B.A., 2000, The University of Tennessee
B.S.B.A., 2000, The University of Tennessee

Odell Johnson, Jr.
B.S., 1992, Christian Brothers University

Stacy L. Jowers
B.A., 1998, The University of Mississippi
B.S., 1999, The University of Tennessee, Memphis

Lorene S. King
A.A., 1976, Okaloosa-Walton Junior College
B.S., 1978, The University of South Alabama

David Lee Lange, Jr.
B.S., 1981, Colorado School of Mines

Candace Cooper Lockhart
B.B.A., 2000, Mississippi State University
B.A., 2000, Mississippi State University

Charles Gary Lockhart II
A.A., Itawamba Community College
B.A., 1999, Mississippi State University
B.B.A., 1999, Mississippi State University

Zsofia Nagy
B.B.A., 2005, The University of Memphis

MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION *(Continued)*

Andrew Daniel Nix
B.A., 1991, Rhodes College

Rizwan Patel
B.E., 1993, University of Bombay

Elizabeth Anne Reding
B.B.A., 2005, Harding University

Linda S. Reyle
B.S.N., 1980, Texas Christian University

Jill Ann Reynolds
B.A., 1997, Lewis University

Elaine Beth Sokoloff-Gieszler
B.S., 1991, Southern Connecticut State University

Jose M. Varela
B.S., 2002, Mississippi College

Joshua Aaron White
B.S., 2000, Auburn University

Christina Wieser
B.B.A., 2006, The University of Memphis

Markus B. Winkler
B.S., 2001, Centre College

MASTER OF SCIENCE

The candidates for this degree have majored in accounting or business administration with areas of concentration in finance, insurance and real estate, management, management information systems, marketing, or real estate development.

Lydia Mary Bagnall
B.B.A., 2004, The University of Memphis

Deirdre Lynne Bolden
B.B.A., 2004, The University of Memphis

Rutu Bole
A.S., 2003, Community College of Allegheny County
B.S.B.A., 2004, Robert Morris University

Franklin Derek Byrd
B.B.A., 2005, Freed-Hardeman University

Donovan Yale Collier
B.S., 2003, Southeast Missouri State University

Devin D. Hall
B.A., 2005, The University of Memphis

Gregory Hyche
B.S.W., 1997, The University of Alabama
M.S.W., 1998, The University of Alabama

Kranthikiran Katragadda
B.T., 2005, Nagarjuna University

Clebert J. Millican
B.B.A., 2005, The University of Memphis

Zachary Muellenmeister
B.B.A., 2001, The University of Memphis

Jonathan Parker Nanney
B.B.A., 2005, The University of Memphis

Brianna Claire Parker
B.S., 2002, Florida State University

John Paul Stevens, Jr.
B.B.A., 2004, The University of Memphis

Azeem Taqi
B.Com., 1980, University of Bombay
M.Com., 1982, University of Bombay
LL.B., 1990, University of Bombay
M.B.A., 2005, The University of Memphis

Ye Tian
B.E., 1997 Guangdong Zhanjiang Ocean University

Michael Brent Todd
B.S., 1994, Union University
M.S., 2004, The University of Memphis

Ching-Yu Tung
B.B.A., 2001, Soochow University

Asmita Vaidya
B.S., 2003, The University of Mississippi

Hassan Mohammed Wada
B.S.Ch., 2003, The University of Memphis
B.S.C.P., 2004, The University of Memphis

Ningsha Zhang
B.B.A., 2004, University of New Brunswick

BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Daniel Ryan Bradford, *summa cum laude*
Ryan C Braithwait, *summa cum laude*

Jason James Keen, *summa cum laude (with University Honors)*
John Hunter Kiser, *summa cum laude*

David Michael Scoggins, *summa cum laude*
Johnathon D Wainwright, *summa cum laude*

Selamawit Andemariam Smith, *magna cum laude*
Shaul Alfassi, *magna cum laude*
Patience Ashanni Brown, *magna cum laude*
Phleacia J Cagle, *magna cum laude*
Larmaine C Chapman, *magna cum laude*
Paul A Cicala, *magna cum laude*
Jessica Meryl Cutter, *magna cum laude (with University Honors)*
Jonathan Ralando Davis, *magna cum laude*
Lindsey Kay Donovan, *magna cum laude*
Johnathan Prichard Everett, *magna cum laude*
Brady Mac Farmer, *magna cum laude*
Andrew Nathaneal Glisson, *magna cum laude*
Marcie L Goulder, *magna cum laude*
Michael B Hamner, *magna cum laude*
Sara M Hennum, *magna cum laude*

C B Luke Hill, *magna cum laude*
Megan A Hopper, *magna cum laude*
David Earl Howell, Jr, *magna cum laude*
Christopher Allyn James, *magna cum laude*
Samuel David Keeton, *magna cum laude*
Christopher Gerald Maley, *magna cum laude*
Andrew Minor III, *magna cum laude*
Deborah Kaye Mitchell, *magna cum laude (University Honors with Thesis)*
Melissa M Moore, *magna cum laude*
Papa Ibrahima Ndiaye, *magna cum laude (University Honors)*
Robert Lee Randolph, *magna cum laude*
Mauricio Javier Rapalo, *magna cum laude*
David Lance Roberson, *magna cum laude*
Joshua Woods Sinclair, *magna cum laude*

Krubah Sulonteh Sisuse, *magna cum laude*
Kittrell T Smith, *magna cum laude*
Andrea Stewart, *magna cum laude*
Tucker Eugene Taylor, *magna cum laude*
Willard Derrick Taylor, *magna cum laude*
Zachary Taylor Thomas, *magna cum laude*
Brandon Dwight Thompson, *magna cum laude*
Jackson Paul Wadsworth, *magna cum laude*
Kathryn M Watts, *magna cum laude*
Michelle Elizabeth Webb, *magna cum laude*
David J White, *magna cum laude*
Elizabeth T White, *magna cum laude*
Renee M Wills, *magna cum laude*
Casey G Wise, *magna cum laude*

Sara Amer AbouWafia, *cum laude*
Brian Patrick Ahern, *cum laude*
Jacquelyn L Alexander, *cum laude*
Daniel Hue Allen, *cum laude*
Amanda Nicole Anglin, *cum laude*
John Bennett Carden IV *cum laude*
Stacy LaVonne Carraway, *cum laude*
Pakham Lynn Chantharasy, *cum laude*
Allison Michelle Cox-Melton, *cum laude*
Samantha Taylor Davis, *cum laude*
Randy J Duncan, *cum laude (University Honors)*
Matias Gath, *cum laude*
Waltraud Emily Goff, *cum laude*
Megan Marie Gooch, *cum laude*
Ashley Kathryn Hafford, *cum laude*
Latonya M Hall, *cum laude*

Ashley Nicole Harris, *cum laude*
Veronica Shetel Hayward, *cum laude*
David Lawrence Howard, *cum laude*
Evan Rushton Kennedy, *cum laude*
Yanlin Liu, *cum laude*
Elizabeth Davidson Malone, *cum laude*
Samuel E Martin Jr., *cum laude*
Carlin P Mendonca, *cum laude*
Andrew James Metcalf, *cum laude*
Andrew Minor III, *cum laude*
Mendi M Moore, *cum laude*
Joshua James Mortensen, *cum laude*
Lorna Y Moultry, *cum laude*
Joyce W Mungah, *cum laude*
Devin L Necaise, *cum laude*
Jennifer Anne Olbert, *cum laude*

Misty Leigh Petty, *cum laude (with University Honors)*
Bradley T Pope, *cum laude*
Scott L Robinson, *cum laude*
Luis Alfonso Salazar, *cum laude*
Julien LeRoy Salley, Jr, *cum laude*
Jeffrey Lynn Sanders, *cum laude*
Christopher Lee Sexton, *cum laude*
Kristin Della Skinner, *cum laude*
Jenifer G Smith, *cum laude*
Michael Ray Spurlock, *cum laude*
Patrick D Surratt, *cum laude*
Jackson Paul Wadsworth, *cum laude*
Dana Lynn Whitmore, *cum laude*
Ryan Christopher Wigginton, *cum laude*
Jacob C Wilson, *cum laude*

John Thomas Agee
Gizelle Kenyatta Anderson
Adriana L Ballentine
Benjamin Craig Beal
Benjamin Ryan Beard
Joshua Scot Berry
Olena Bhasin
Erica R Bishop

Phillip Douglas Black
Terris Bobbitt
Christina Leigh Bolles
Calvin Boyland
William Phillip Breen
Lawanda N Brooks
Anthony J Brown
Laura Stephanie Brown

Ryan Leigh Brown
Todd James Bruther
Jeremy Robert Bryan
Rachel L Byrd
Shaka Ra Campbell
Brandon M Carps
Lauren Christine Caylor
April L Chambers

Paul Han Chang
Lewis Clarke
Jackie M Conley
William Thomas Connor IV
Patrick Emmett Culligan, Jr
James Robert Cummins, Jr
Kunta Kinte Darden
Kapiolani Davis

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Tangie V Davis
Cameron Derrell Dedmon
Erika J DeVries
Robert Hunter Durbin
Laura R Ellis
Kathryn D Ethridge
Adam Hall Fisher
Jamie Lynn Fisher
John Edward French
Michael J Frey
Joshua C Friedl
Travis Maurice Garrett
James Vernon Gay, III
Brady L Grant
Brian E Graue
Stuart Ryan Graves
Christy Genene Griffin
Lindsay Suzanne Grills
Nicole Rose Gurkin
Shuanna Yvette Halliburton
Alyssa L Hanson
Joshua David Hardy
Christopher B Harris
Michael Ryan Harris
Darla Goodwyn Harrison
Shalisa Rochelle Heaston
Cassandra Faye Hill
Stephanie Carol Hopkins
Christina M Hull
Aundra Rose Jackson
Channin Liesl Jackson
Shangela R Jackson
Aundra Denise Johnson
Suzanne Johnson
Trinette M Johnson
Kimberly Nicole Jones
Sharolyn Jones
Yumiko D Jones
Kristin Cierra Journigan
Rachel Marie Kattawar
Shawanda Lashay Kendrick
Jordan W Lacinda
Christopher M Ladley
Berenice Larrea
Anna M Lazarini
Megan Heather Livingston
Todd Ashley Locke
Felecia Sue Lunn
Nathan Ronald Luttrell
Dat Tan Ly
Katee L Lynch
Jennifer Kena Marquis
Brandy L Mays
William D McAlister
Kelly L McCasland
Gregory D McIlvain
Eric Desean McNeal
Kimberly Marie McVeigh
Jason S Miles
Lori Lynn Milius
Monica E Moody
James Michael Moore
Pamela Denise Moore
Joshua James Mortensen
Kellie Ann Moscon
Candi Roneka Murray
Sara B Nelms
Samuel R Newton
Brandon Michael Nordberg
Stephanie L Odom
Joshua Raymond Ogden
Vireak Ou
Brian M Park
William Franklin Pearson III
Ferra El-Amin Perkins
Karl Michael Peters
Alexandra M Phillips
Lindsey M Phillips
Sokseada Pho
Nick Phung
Brent W Pidgeon
Wendy M Pigue
Alisha Danielle Piller
Bradley T Post
Billy DeShawn Post
John Daniel Presson
Graham Michael Radford
Travis Tyrell Ragland
Carlton E Ray
Alexis O Reed
Nichole Ann Reese
Sharon Denise Richardson
Trika T Richmond
Chaseson E Rickman
Allison N Ross
Thomas W Ruffin
Tamara Elaine Rush
Kimberly R Sabino
Danyal O Satti
Stephanie C Scoggins
Hayley Catherine Shellabarger
Kelly J Simpson
Jenny M Sinn
Stephanie C Slaughter
Jeffery Allen Sloan
Christina Shelton Smith
Jessica L Smith
Sharita W Smith
Joshua Jay Solomon
Daniel Allen Steele
Jordan Andrew Stovall
Donovan Patrick Sykes
Weatherley Blake Tanner
Haley R Taylor
Kimberly Denise Taylor
Ashley Rachel Thornton
Chris P Tonn
Aaron C Towns
Van Thanh Tran
Lyndon Troy Treadway
Amanda J Trott
Tamara D Tuggers
Justin L Vanstory
Erica Kendall Walker
Erin Rene` Walter
Lee Andrew Weaver
Christin K Weir
Sonya D White
Matthew M Williams, Sr
Ebony Terrell Williamson
Heather B. Wilson
Francis S Wodi
Douglas R Wright, II
Kandis A Young

COLLEGE MARSHALS

College Marshal is an honored and traditional role performed by the faculty at Commencement. Each college in the University identifies at least two faculty members who organize and lead the candidates into the arena and to the stage during the ceremony. In recent years, the undergraduate student with the highest grade point average in the college has been invited to join the Faculty College Marshals in this distinguished leadership role.

Academic Marshals: Dr. James M. Lukawitz, Dr. Wade M. Jackson, and Mr. Jason James Keen
Fogelman College of Business and Economics

Dr. Stanley N. Walls, Mr. Wayne Gutch, and Ms. Kim M. Ross
College of Education

Dr. Jiada Mo, Dr. Edward H. Perry, and Ms. Emily Ledbury
Herff College of Engineering

Dr. Lawrette Axley, Dr. Robert Koch, and Ms. Deborah Dickson Laughlin
Loewenberg School of Nursing

Dr. Thomas J. Nenon
Graduate School, Doctoral Hooding Ceremony

THE UNIVERSITY OF MEMPHIS SYMPHONIC BAND

Dr. Nicholas V. Holland III, *Director*

Piccolo
Allen Moody

Flute
Debbie Lobb
Jeffery Matlock
Adrian Bailey
Brittany Lambert
Tracey Dunn
Melanie Massengill
Tori Waddell
Nikki Luckey

Oboe
Candace Montgomery
Morgan Minor

E-Flat Clarinet
Terrance Stevenson

Clarinet
Alicia White
Terrance Stevenson
Samanthan Patterson
Chase Mitchusson
Heather Estes

Bass Clarinet
Brittany Sanders

Bassoon
Amanda Petersen
April Summers

Alto Saxophone
Anthony Baird
Laura Collins

Tenor Saxophone
Justin Brown

Baritone Saxophone
Jordan Hooker

Horn
Kyle Hayes
Justin Gerych
Brandon Rushing
Jessica Presley

Trumpet
Ma Xiaole
Ben Tucker
Ben Pierre-Louis
Avery Boddie
Matt Taylor
Michael Mueller
Charles Ray
Randy Ballard

Trombone
Victor Sawyer
Henry Dorn
Tristan Wilkerson
Drew McCoy
Cory Hawley
Jason Wells
Arnold C. Reed, Jr.

Euphonium
Jeremy Krug
James Townsel

Tuba
Andrew Tobias
Kate Ervin

Percussion
Ryan Anderson
Cory Daniels
Chris French
Jonathan Stillman
Brandon Thomas

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SUNDAY, MAY 6, 2007

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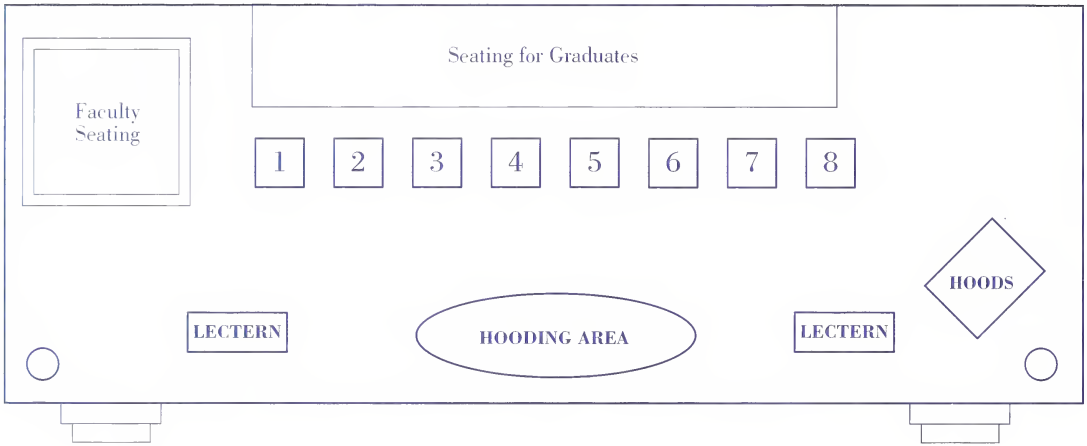

1. **Dr. Shirley C. Raines,** President, The University of Memphis
2. **Dean James R. Smoot,** Cecil C. Humphreys School of Law
3. **Attorney William H. Halton, Jr.,** Commencement Speaker
4. **Associate Dean Barbara Kritchevsky,** Cecil C. Humphreys School of Law
5. **Attorney Gary K. Smith,** President-Elect, Cecil C. Humphreys School of Law Alumni Association
6. **Mr. Scott Hickerson,** President, Student Bar Association
7. **Mr. Todd Richardson,** Class Speaker
8. **Assistant Dean Charles deWitt,** Pronouncer

CECIL C. HUMPHREYS SCHOOL OF LAW
CEREMONY PROGRAM

PRESIDING ..... James R. Smoot, Dean
Cecil C. Humphreys School of Law

ACADEMIC PROCESSIONAL
Pomp and Circumstance ..... *Sir Edward Elgar*

THE NATIONAL ANTHEM* ..... *Francis Scott Key*

WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS ..... *James R. Smoot, Dean*

REMARKS ..... Dr. Shirley C. Raines, President
The University of Memphis

PRESENTATION OF THE ***PROFESSOR OF THE YEAR AWARD*** ..... William Scott Hickerson, President
Student Bar Association

SALUTATIONS OF THE CLASS OF 2007 ..... Todd Richardson, Class Speaker

WELCOME TO THE LEGAL PROFESSION ..... Attorney Gary K. Smith, President-Elect
Cecil C. Humphreys School of Law Alumni Association

COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS ..... William H. Halton, Jr.
Law Firm of Thomason, Hendrix, Harvey, Johnson and Mitchell (Memphis)

DEAN'S REMARKS AND PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES ..... James R. Smoot, Dean

CONFERRAL OF DEGREES ..... Dr. Shirley C. Raines, President

PRONOUNCERS ..... Charles B. deWitt, Assistant Dean
Cecil C. Humphreys School of Law

CONCLUDING REMARKS AND DISMISSAL ..... James R. Smoot, Dean

ACADEMIC RECESSIONAL .....

***Please stand**
Guests are requested to remain in guest seating during the ceremony.

CECIL C. HUMPHREYS SCHOOL OF LAW

Dean James R. Smoot, J.D.

The faculty of the School of Law is proud to present for conferral of the Juris Doctor degree the men and women who have successfully met all of the requirements for graduation as established by the School of Law. These graduates are not only prepared to enter into the practice of law at this time, but they are prepared for a lifetime of leadership in the legal profession. The School of Law endeavors to inculcate in each graduate a sense of responsibility to improve the providing of legal services to all persons and segments of society. Above all, the School of Law endeavors to impress upon each graduate the necessity for maintaining high ethical standards which are expected of lawyers in today's society. These graduates are entering a profession that is vital to the preservation of a free and democratic society, and they are well prepared for the challenges that lie ahead.

JURIS DOCTOR

Robert Nelson Adrian, III
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James Michael Alexander, Jr.
B.A., The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, 2004

Bryce William Ashby
B.S., Rhodes College, 2000

Jessica Alice Shurson Banti
B.A., University of Minnesota, 2004

Kenneth E. Barnes
M.S., The University of Memphis, 1998
B.S., The University of Memphis, 1989

Faye E. Bennett
B.F.A., University of North Florida, 2002

Taylor Clark Berger
B.A., Rhodes College, 2002

Tabatha Inez Blackwell
B.A., The University of Memphis, 2004

Tetyana K. Bryan
M.B.A., The University of Memphis, 2001
B.B.A., International Christian University, 1998

Hannah C. Bordine
B.A., The University of Memphis, 1999

Christine Marquette Cane
B.A., Fisk University, 2004

Oscar Clark Carr, IV
B.A., Southern Methodist University, 2004

Margaret Forrest Cooper
B.S., The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, 2004

Mary Catherine Cunningham
B.A., The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, 2003

Katherine Elizabeth Curlee
B.A., The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, 2003

Claire Wesley Davies
B.A., College of Charleston, 2003

Christopher Nolen Davis
B.S., Middle Tennessee State University, 2004

Geoffrey Paul Davis
B.A., Campbell University, 2004

Taylor Mytrese Eskridge
B.A., Tennessee State University, 2003

Daniel B. Evans
B.A., Syracuse University, 2004

Patricia L. Everitt
B.S., University of Alabama, 2004

Jeweline Joel Franklin
B.A., East Tennessee State University, 2003

Carly Autumn Gallagher
M.A., The University of Memphis, 2004
B.A., Millsaps College, 2002

William Cooke Hale
B.A., Davidson College, 2004

Herbert Thomas Helmers
B.F.A., The University of Memphis, 1990

Lara Ashley Hendrix
B.A., The University of Tennessee, Martin, 2004

William Scott Hickerson
B.A., The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, 2004

JURIS DOCTOR *(Continued)*

Lauren Louise Hill
B.S., Mississippi State University, 2003

Lucas J. Hill
B.S., Middle Tennessee State University, 2000

James Edward Hinson
B.S., University of South Carolina, 2004

John Paul Hocker
B.S., East Tennessee State University, 2003

Holly Harris Holt
B.A., The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, 2003

Steven Craig Horton
B.S., Lambuth University, 1998

Timothy David Hughes
B.S., The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, 2004

Jonathan Wallace Irvin
B.S., Tennessee Technological University, 2004

Jennifer Ann Jackson
B.B.A., James Madison University, 2000

Christopher Raney Johnson
B.A., The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, 2000

Krystal Francine Johnson
B.A., The University of Memphis, 2001

Nolan Michael Johnson
B.S., Washington University, St. Louis, 2004

Meredith Carol Kimmel
B.A., The University of Memphis, 2004

Alexander Wymond Laird
B.A., The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, 2005

Michael Haden Lawyer
B.A., Florida State University, 1996

Harry W. Lebair, IV
B.A., Rhodes College, 2002

Jodi B. Loden
B.S., The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, 2001

David Aaron Love
B.A., Washington and Lee University, 2000

Irwin Alice Magevney
B.A., University of Mississippi, 2003

Laura Stephens Martin
M.H.A., The University of Memphis, 2000
B.A., Rhodes College, 1994

Andre Bernard Mathis
B.A., The University of Memphis, 2003

Martha Ann McGeachy
B.A., Rhodes College, 1988

Shannon N. McKenna
B.A., Westminster College, 2003

David Earl McKinney
B.B.A., The University of Memphis, 2004

Brandon Robert Meredith
B.A., University of the South, 2002

Matthew Thomas Moffitt
B.A., Brigham Young University, 2004

Eva L. Nielsen
B.S., The University of Tennessee, Chattanooga, 2004

Janice Ann Norman
B.B.A., Belmont University, 1999

Christopher Shawn O'Donnell
B.B.A., The University of Memphis, 1988

Sarah Jean Orellana
B.A., The University of Memphis, 2002

Kyle Lawrence Parker
B.B.A., University of Georgia, 2003

Curtis Williams Phillips
B.S., Campbellsville College, 2004

Trenton W. Pitts
M.A., The University of Memphis, 2002
B.A., University of Oklahoma, 1996

Katherine Alice McCollum Prescott
B.A., Arkansas State University, 2004

Brandi N. Reaves
B.A., University of Maryland University College, 2001

Adam Peery Remsen
M.A., The University of Memphis, 1997
B.A., University of Georgia, 1994

Robert Todd Richardson
B.L.S., The University of Memphis, 2004

Jason Richard Ridenour
B.A., The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, 2001

Joshua Michael Roberts
B.A., George Washington University, 2004

William Chad Roberts
B.A., Freed-Hardeman University, 2003

Ward Dukes Robinson
B.B.A., University of Georgia, 2004

Stanley Mitchell Ross
B.A., The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, 2004

JURIS DOCTOR *(Continued)*

John Richardson Rucker, III
B.A., The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, 2003

Eugene M. Saxon
B.A., Christian Brothers University, 2004

William Edward Scott, III
M.A., University of Mississippi, 2004
B.A., University of Mississippi, 2003

Nathan Evan Shelby
B.A., The University of Tennessee, Martin, 2002

Christian Dale Soronen
B.A., York University, 2003

Timothy M. Stehli
B.A., West Virginia University, 1995

Joshua Franklin Stepp
B.S., University of Alabama, Huntsville, 2000

Amy Crawford Stokes
B.A., Furman University, 2003

Emily Faye Teague
B.A., The University of Memphis, 2003

Jason A. Thompson
B.A., The University of Memphis, 2004

Mark S. Thompson
M.A., New York University, 2000
B.F.A., University of Mississippi, 1998

Melissa Angeleah Tracy
B.A., The University of Tennessee, Chattanooga, 2003

Katherine Leigh Tranum
B.B.A., East Tennessee State University, 2003

Greyson Eugene Tuck
B.S., The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, 2004

Emily Beth Vann
B.S., The University of Tennessee, Martin, 2003

Christopher James Webb
B.B.A., The University of Memphis, 2004

Elizabeth Anne Weintraub
B.A., The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, 2003

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M.A., Hawaii Pacific University, 2001
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GRADUATE CERTIFICATES

Graduate Certificate Programs are a coherent set of courses and advanced practical experiences that form a specialization in a discipline or in an interdisciplinary program of study. Graduate Certificate Programs at the University of Memphis provide focused preparation for college graduates seeking professional/personal development or career advancement. Approved by the Tennessee Board of Regents and the University of Memphis, graduate certificates are offered in College Teaching, Community College Teaching and Leadership, Geographical Information Systems, Instructional Computing Applications, Interdisciplinary Graduate Certificate in Museum Studies, Women's Studies, and a Post-Master's Family Nurse Practitioner program. The following graduates of the certificate programs are recognized in the printed program only.

CERTIFICATE IN COLLEGE TEACHING

This program provides specific training in college teaching for graduate teaching assistants. The 12-hour program equips Graduate Teaching Assistants with knowledge and skills in effective college teaching methods. Only fully admitted graduate students who are graduate teaching assistants are eligible to enroll in the program.

August 2006-Spring 2007 Graduates

Joe Jackson Frazer, Jr.
Hong Zhou

CERTIFICATE IN COMMUNITY COLLEGE TEACHING AND LEADERSHIP

This course of study prepares individuals who are interested in either a teaching or an administrative position in a community college. Consisting of 18 hours of coursework, this program can be applied to or taken simultaneously with a Master of Science in Leadership or a Doctor of Education in Higher and Adult Education.

December 2006-Spring 2007 Graduates

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Stephanie Christina Stokes-Eley

CERTIFICATE IN GEOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION SYSTEMS

The GIS Certificate Program is for those with a Bachelor's degree in a relevant field, and with an interest in using GIS as a problem-solving tool. The GIS Certificate gives students an interdisciplinary perspective that allows them to integrate GIS skills into their knowledge acquired in other disciplines; competitive skills and training for jobs in which GIS skills are essential.

August 2006-May 2007-Spring 2007 Graduates

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Elzbieta B. Bialkowska-Jelinska
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CERTIFICATE IN INSTRUCTIONAL COMPUTING APPLICATION

This certificate program is designed for educators who want to integrate the use of computers in the classroom. The certificate requires the completion of 12 hours from a designated core of courses. The focus of these courses is to develop the technological competencies needed for the development, utilization, and integration of instructional computing technology in the classroom.

August 2006-December 2006-Spring 2007 Graduates

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Mia S. Scott-Frank
Nelson Youngblood, Jr.

INTERDISCIPLINARY CERTIFICATE IN MUSEUM STUDIES

This 18-hour certificate program is jointly administered by the departments of Anthropology and Art, and is designed to prepare students who are matriculating or who have completed graduate programs to enter the museum professions. The program includes two three-hour internships and provides training in all aspects of museum administration.

August 2005-Spring 2007 Graduates

Wendy Daniel Bartlo
Brigitte Nicole Billeaudeaux
Dianna L. Fraley
Katherine Michelle Taylor

CERTIFICATE IN WOMEN'S STUDIES

Women's roles have changed remarkably over the past 50 years. The Certificate of Women's Studies gives students competitive skills and training for jobs in which the analysis of gender and race is essential, as well as education needed for entrance in selected Ph.D. programs.

May 2007-Spring 2007 Graduates

Erica Patrice Dallas

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NATIONAL ANTHEM

Oh, say can you see by the dawn's early light
What so proudly we hail'd at the twilight's last gleaming,
Whose broad stripes and bright stars through the perilous fight
O'er the ramparts we watch'd were so gallantly streaming?
And the rockets' red glare, the bombs bursting in air,
Gave proof through the night that our flag was still there.
Oh, say does that star-spangled banner yet wave
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave?

ALMA MATER

Stand firm, O Alma Mater,
Through all the years to come;
In days of youth and beauty
Thy halls have been our home.
In time of preparation
Great lessons didst thou teach
Till now, O Alma Mater,
The stars we'll strive to reach.

Lead on, O Alma Mater,
O Guide them on their ways,
Give light and truth unto them
For all their coming Days,
To Thee we'll give all honor,
Our hopes A-bide In Thee,
For Thou O Alma Mater
Hast made us ever Free.

The University of Memphis Vastly Enriches the Mid-South Economy

Every Great City Needs a Great University.

Figure 1.
Higher Education Benefits

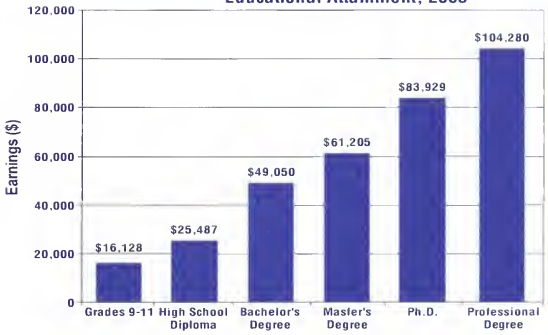
PUBLIC	Increased Tax Revenues
	Greater Productivity
	Increased Consumption
	Increased Workforce Flexibility
	Decreased Reliance on Government Financial Support
	Reduced Crime Rates
	Increased Charitable Giving/Community Service
	Increased Quality of Civic Life
	Social Cohesion/Appreciation of Diversity
	Improved Ability to Adapt to and Use Technology
PRIVATE	Higher Salaries and Benefits
	Employment
	Higher Savings Levels
	Improved Working Conditions
	Personal/Professional Mobility
	Improved Health/Life Expectancy
	Improved Quality of Life for Offspring
	Better Consumer Decision Making
	Increased Personal Status
	More Hobbies, Leisure Activities

The University of Memphis enriches the Memphis community in a multitude of ways. Through its teaching mission, the University creates opportunities for students to enter professions. Through its research mission, it contributes to a vast array of cutting-edge intellectual and commercial endeavors. Through its service mission, the University adds substance to many facets of life in the community. The contributions of the University are difficult to separate from the diverse activities that make Memphis great because it is such is an integral part of its fabric. Through its many partnerships, the University of Memphis plays a vital role in determining the vitality of Memphis and the Mid-South region.

Researchers at the Sparks Bureau of Business and Economic Research at the U of M estimate the University is responsible for nearly $1.2 billion in economic activity. It also supports over 15,000 jobs in the Memphis market.

Chart 1. *Economic Impact of The University of Memphis*

Chart 1. Average Annual Earnings by Educational Attainment, 2003



Source: U.S. Census Bureau, March 2005

Clearly, it pays to invest in higher education. According to the U.S. Census Bureau, the average annual earnings for those with a Bachelor's degree were estimated at $49,050 in 2003, nearly twice as high as the average of $25,487 for a high school graduate. The combination of higher earnings and employment stability creates dramatically higher lifetime earnings for college graduates. Work life earnings increase substantially with even greater education attainment.

The University of Memphis currently employs 5,500 faculty, staff and student workers with total expenditures of $320 million, making it one of the largest employers in the community. With nearly 20,000 students enrolled, the future of Memphis and the Mid-South is closely linked to the future of the University.

Every great city needs a great university and Memphis is no exception. The growth and prosperity of the University of Memphis are a major determinant of the economic success of Memphis and the Mid-South. By working together, the community and the University of Memphis will chart a strong and prosperous future.

Administration Building

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College of Education

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College and School Banners

Adding to the pageantry of official ceremonies and featuring symbolic images for each of the University's colleges and schools, the banners were first used in 1989. The background of each banner corresponds to the color of that unit's academic regalia hoods and sleeve chevrons. Crowning each ensign are stripes indicating disciplines within the division, while a gold laurel wreath encircles each emblem.

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